



# NARUTO

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池本幹雄

Recently, for some reason, the base of my left thumb has been painful. That's the hand I don't use to draw, so why?

I work seated, so I would understand my lower back or hip hurting...

It's not a part of my body that I particularly put pressure on when I draw, nor do I recall banging it against anything. The only thing that comes to mind is...the video game I got hooked on for the first time in a while, *Dragon Quest XI* (the 3DS one).

It seems that supporting the weight of the 3DS plus operating the pad to move characters unexpectedly stressed the base of my thumb.

Though this never happened back when I was playing *Monster Hunter* every day...

So, everyone, be careful when you get hooked on something for the first time in a while.

**-Mikio Ikemoto, 2017**



小太刀右京

Recently, I've been hooked on a game called *Warhammer* (from Games Workshop). It's a tabletop game where you wage battle using miniature figure soldiers, robots, dragons, etc., that you assemble yourself. It's sublimely fun.

But even though ninja have existed in the game for about 30 years, there still aren't any figures yet. (There are Ratmen ninja.) So I really wish they would release some... Please... What's writing about it here going to accomplish...? [laughs]

**-Ukyo Kodachi, 2017**

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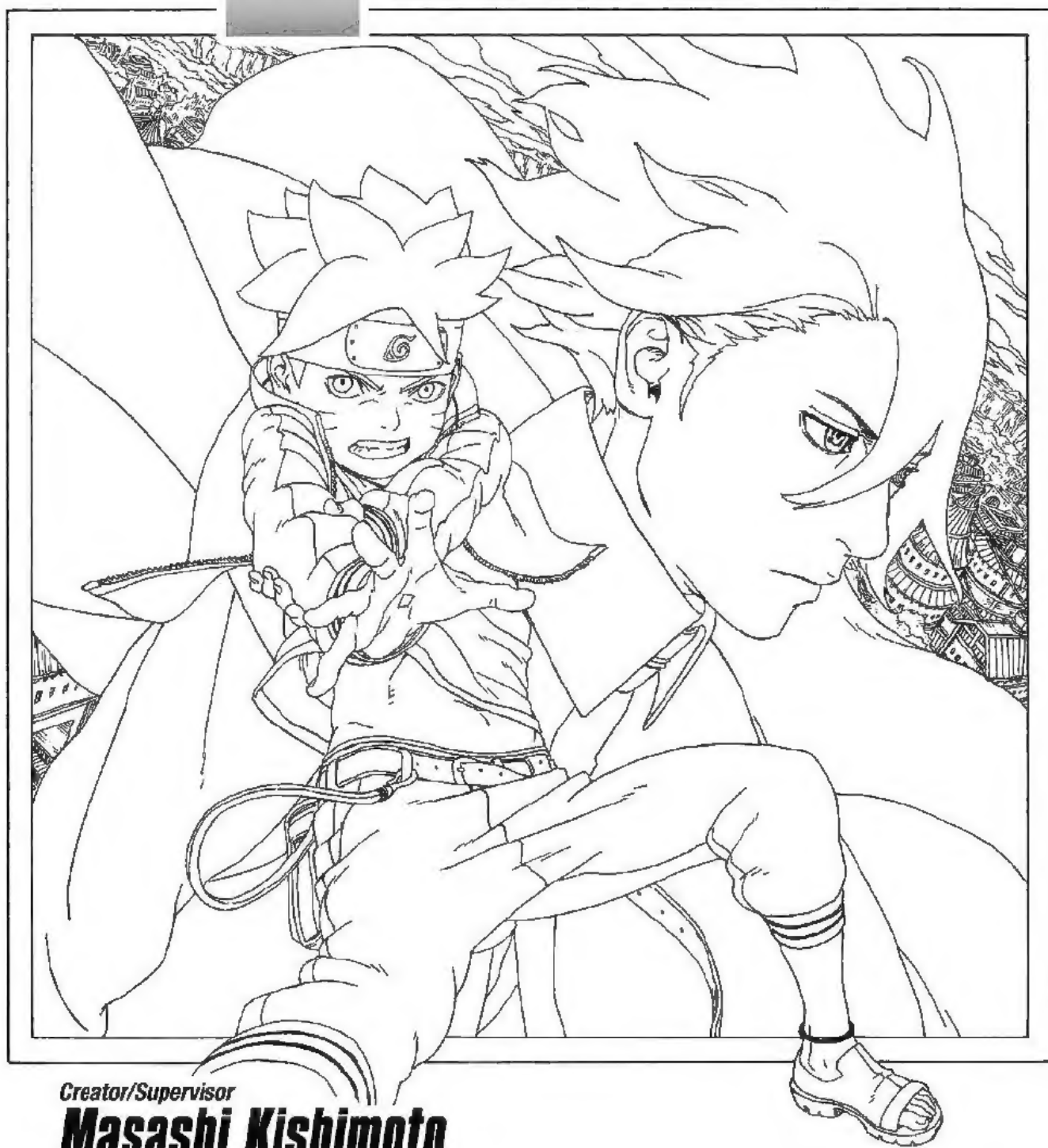


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BORUTO is rated T for Teen and is  
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This volume contains fantasy violence.



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**The Value of a Hidden Ace!!**



**Uzumaki Naruto**

**Uchiha Sasuke**

**Sarutobi Konohamaru**

**Madoka Tentō**

**Yamaoka**

## STORY

The Great Ninja War that shook the world and shed much blood is now history. Naruto has become the Seventh Hokage, and the people of Konohagakure Village are enjoying peace. Yet Naruto's son Uzumaki Boruto has a glum life, perhaps due to his father's too-great influence.

Rebelling against Naruto while simultaneously craving his praise, Boruto decides to enter the Chunin Exam along with his teammates Sarada and Mitsuki.

However, the exam is more intense than Boruto has imagined. Boruto ends up secretly using a prohibited Scientific Ninja Tool and is stripped of his shinobi status by his father.

Just then, members of the Otsutsuki Clan attack the arena! Boruto faces off against them alongside Naruto, Sasuke, and others, and they achieve victory with a Rasengan that father and son weave together. However, Otsutsuki leaves behind ominous parting words: "Those blue eyes shall eventually take everything from you..."

Finally determined to become a ninja, Boruto is assigned a new mission. He is to guard the Daimyo's son Tentō, but Tentō is a totally spoiled rich kid!!



**Mitsuki**



**Uzumaki Boruto**



**Uchiha Sarada**



**Yamanaka Inojin**



**Nara Shikadai**



**Akimichi Cho-Cho**

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THE VALUE OF A HIDDEN ACE!!

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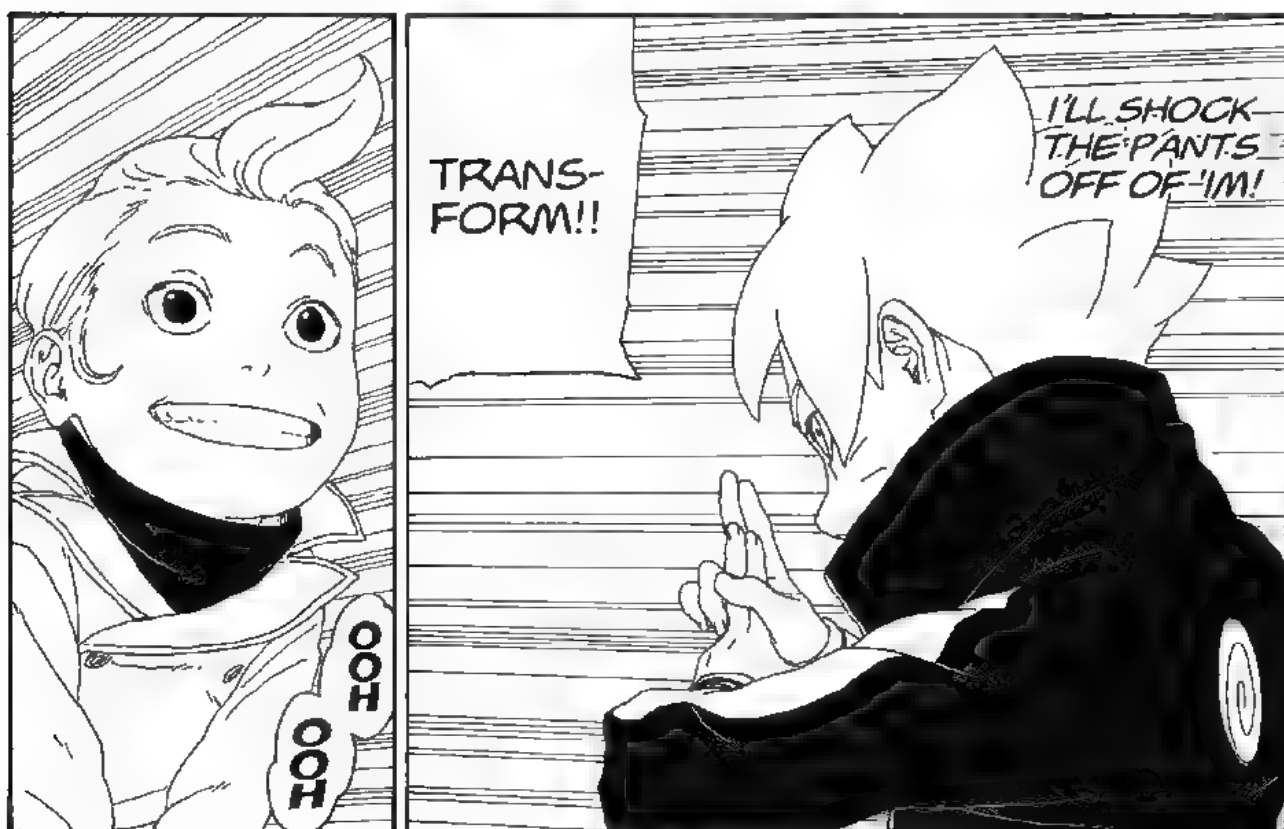
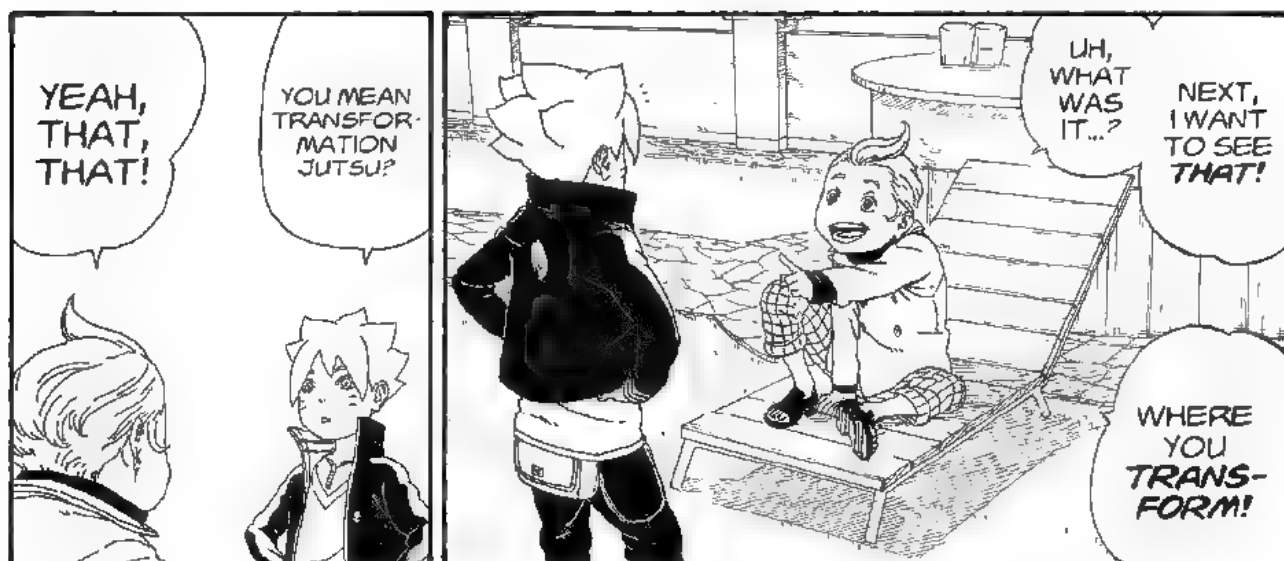




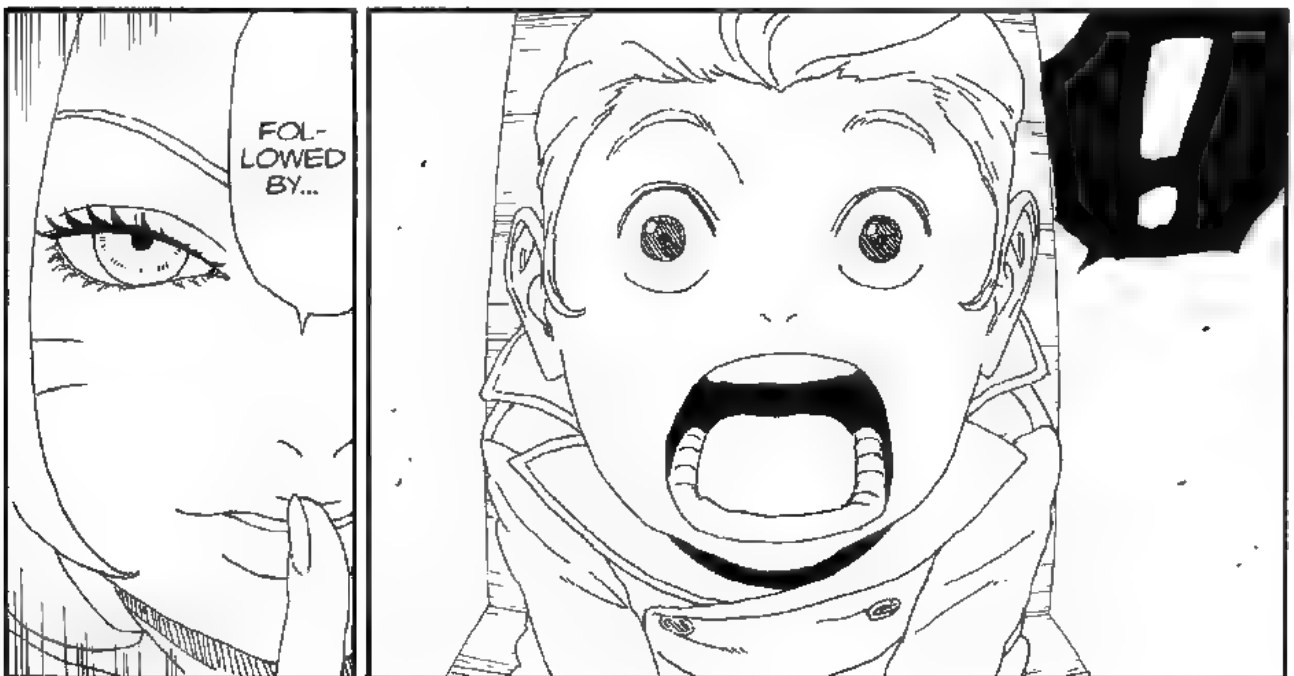
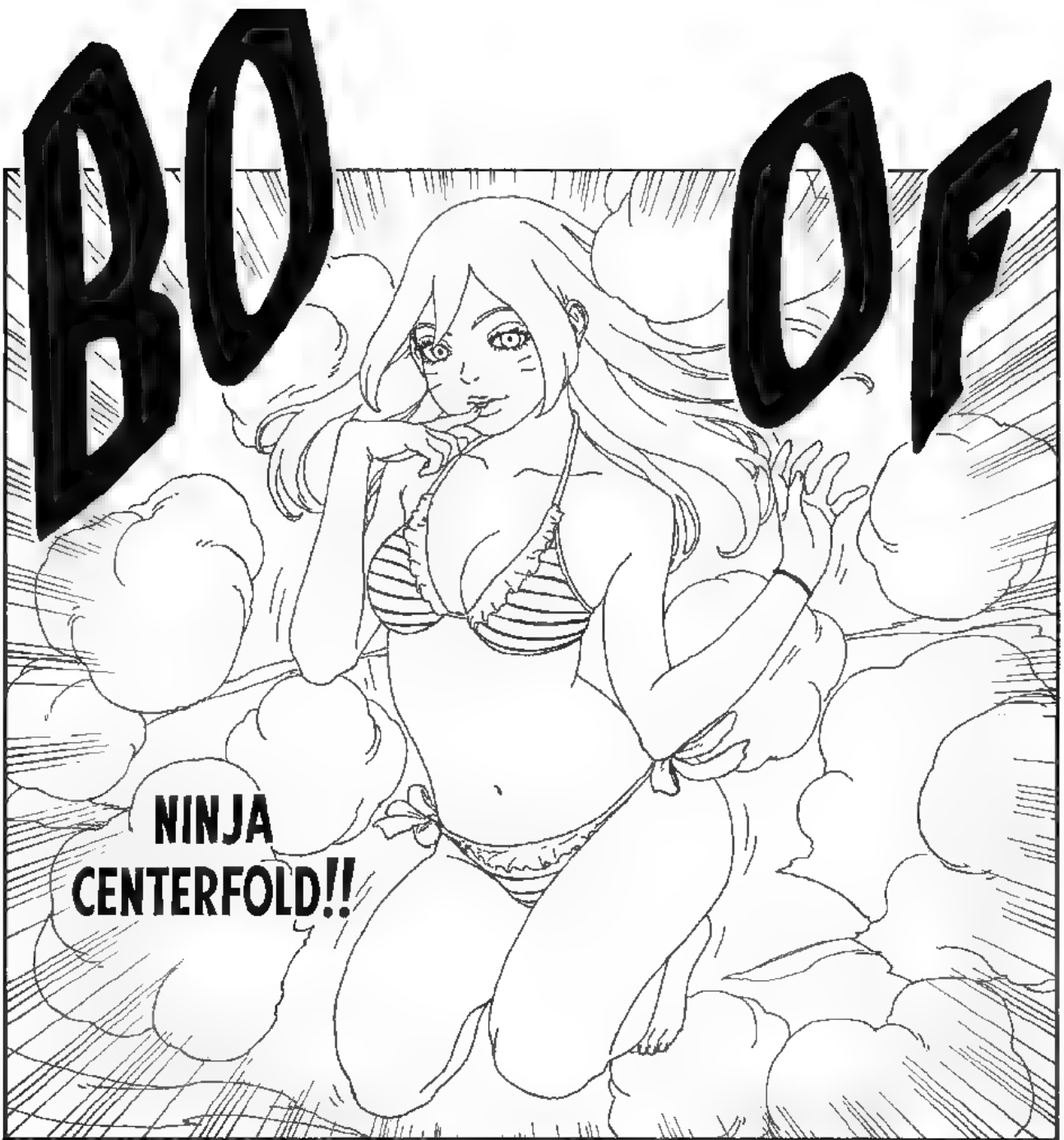


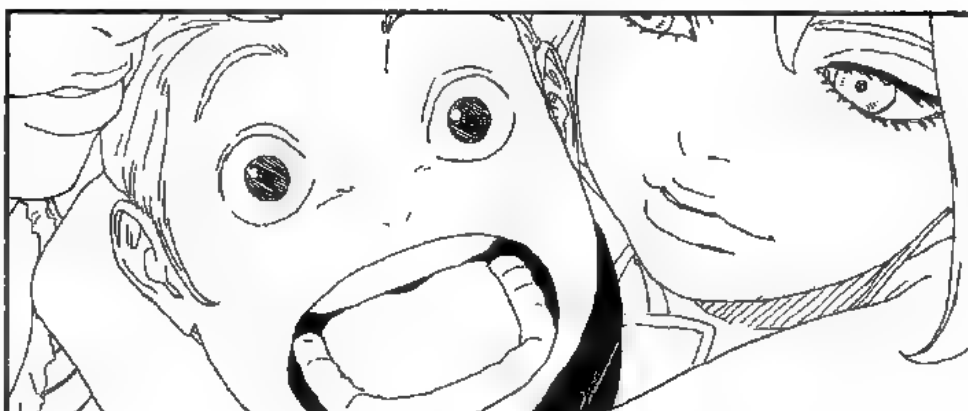
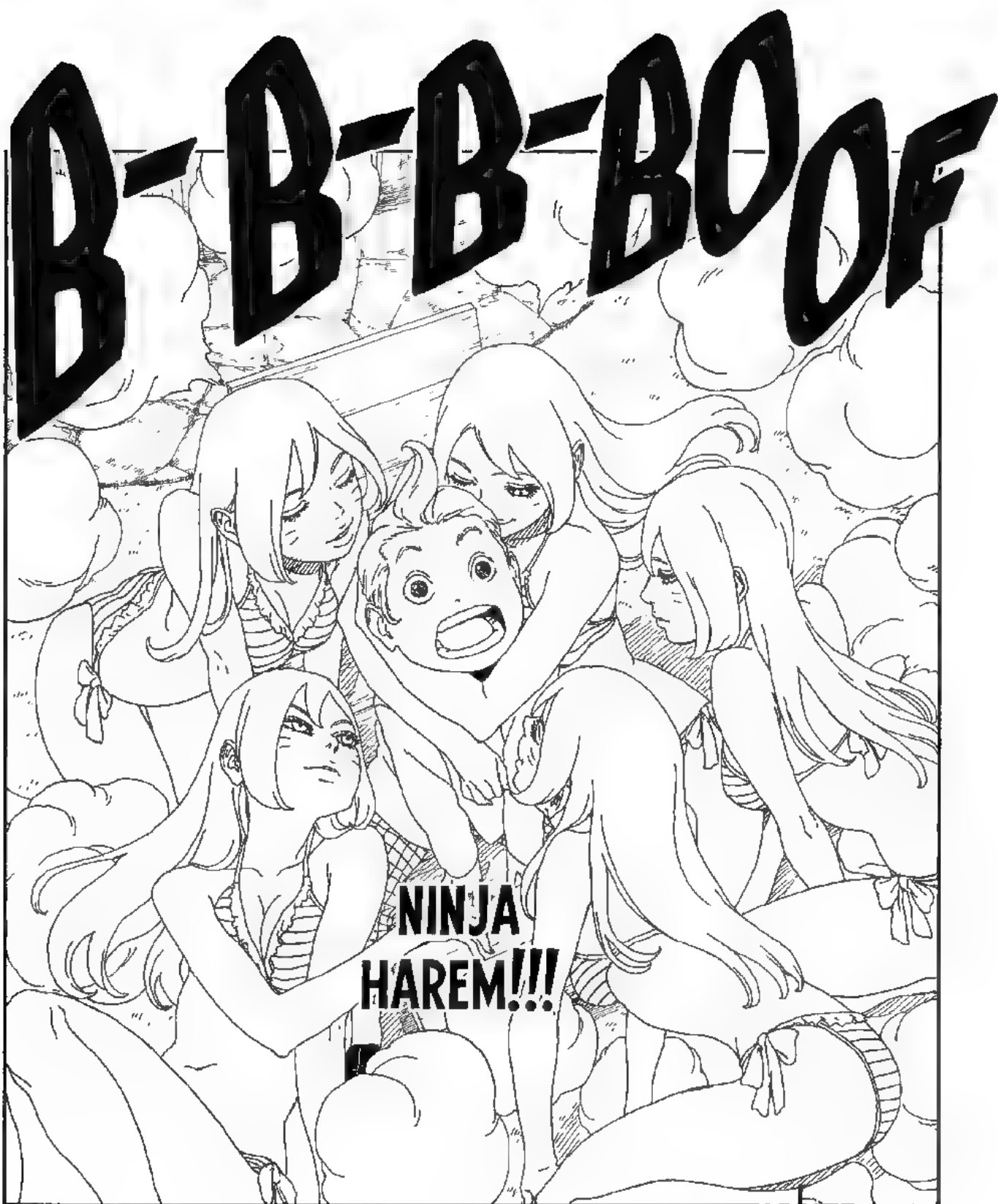


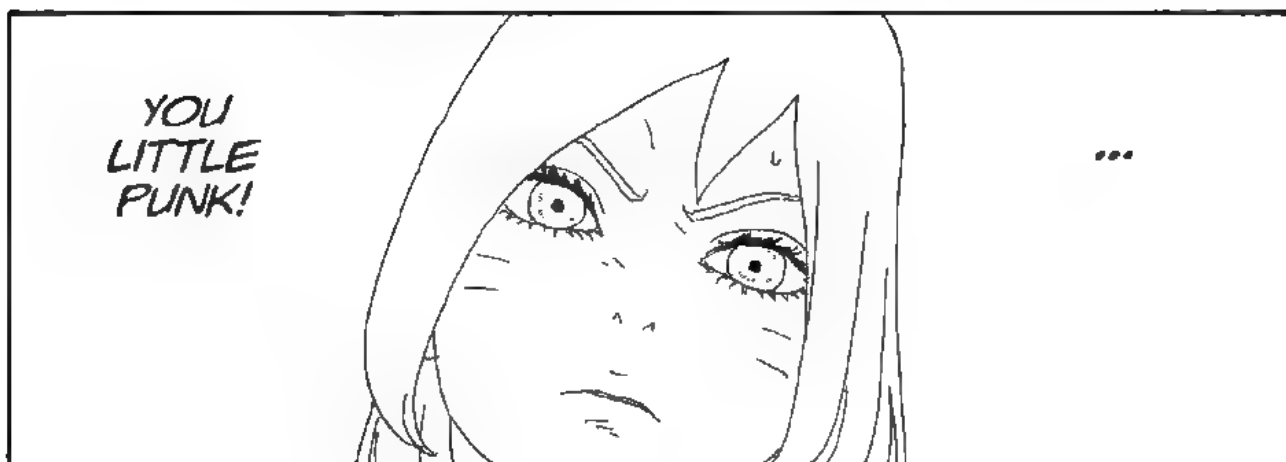
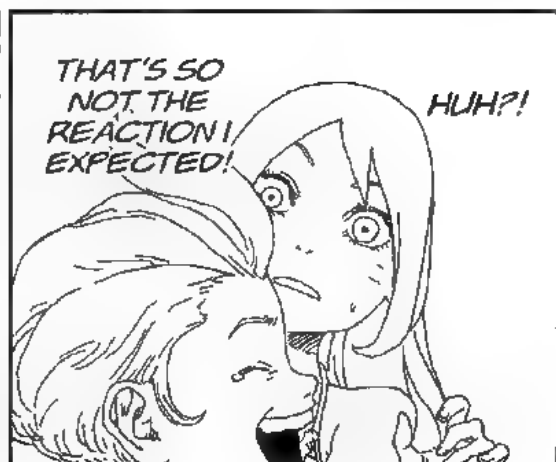
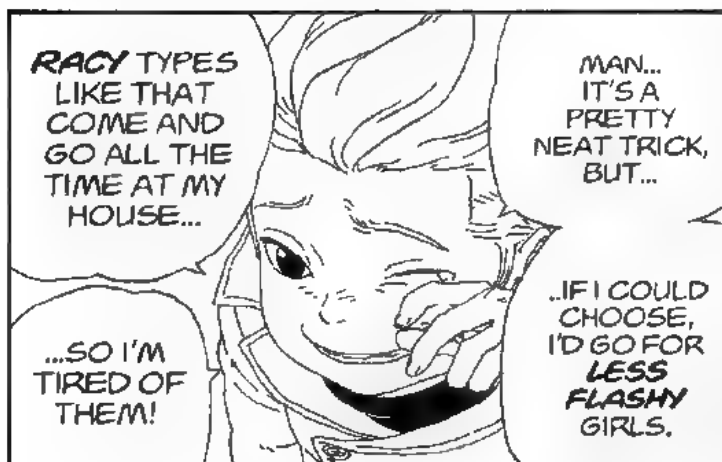


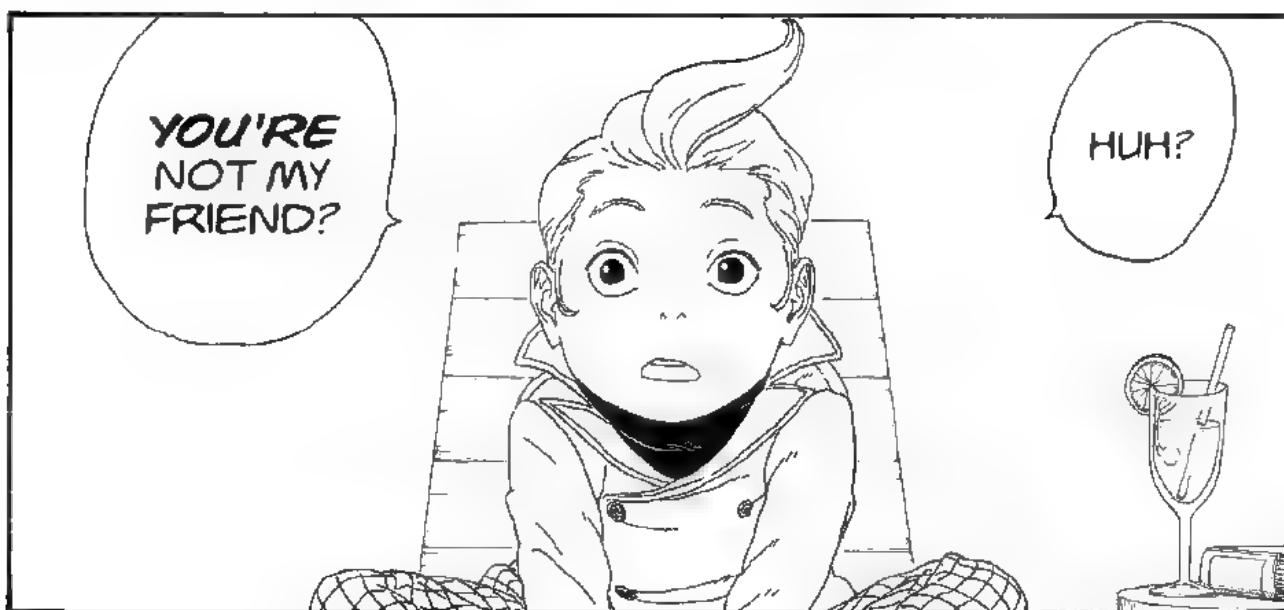






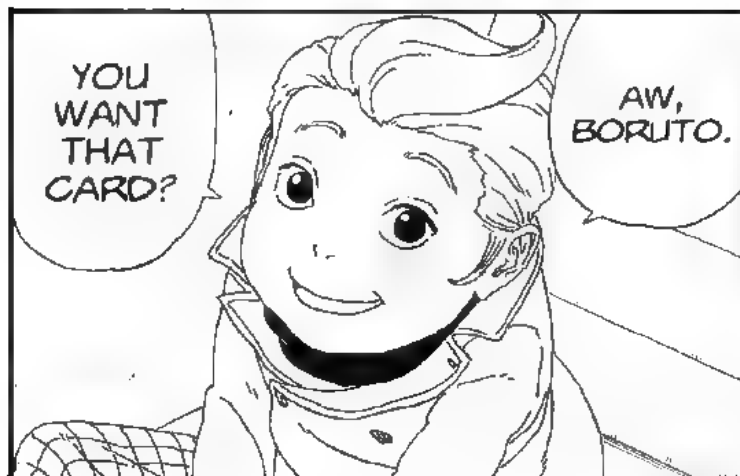


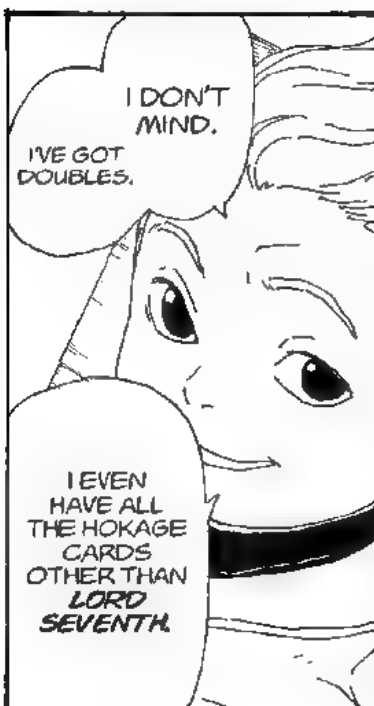






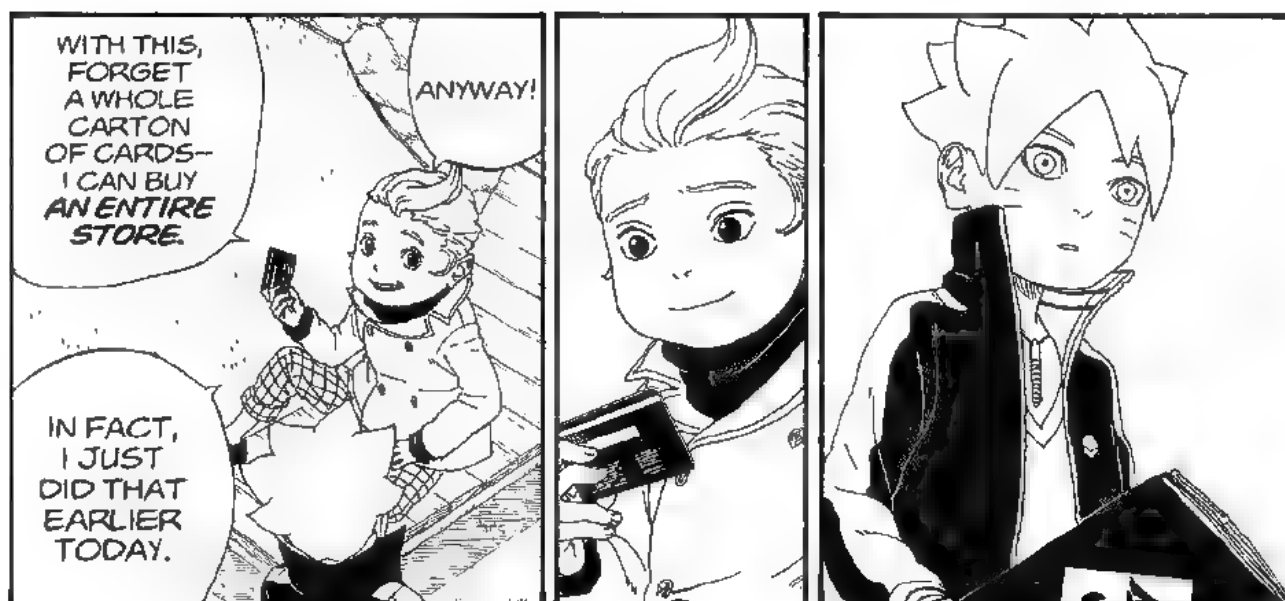


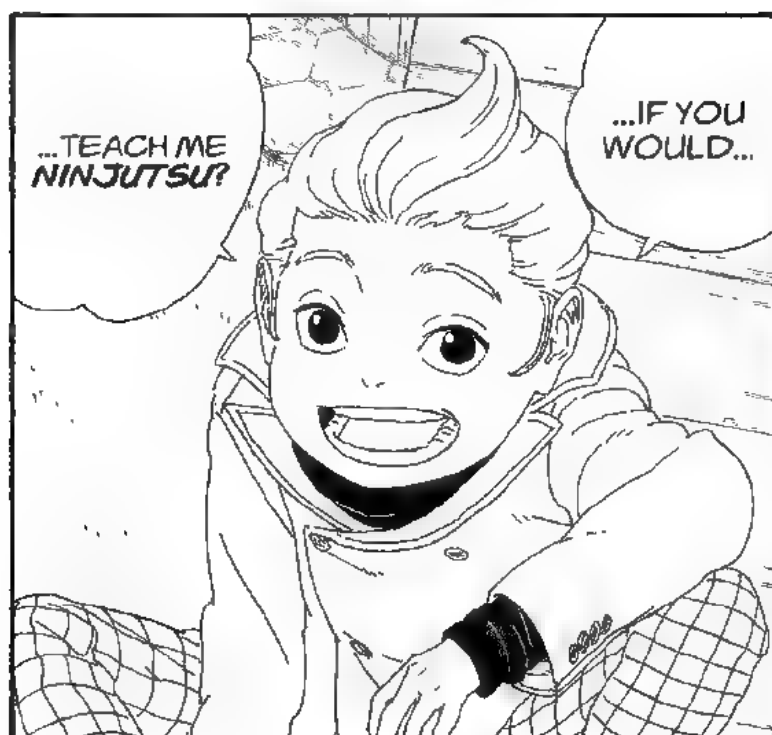




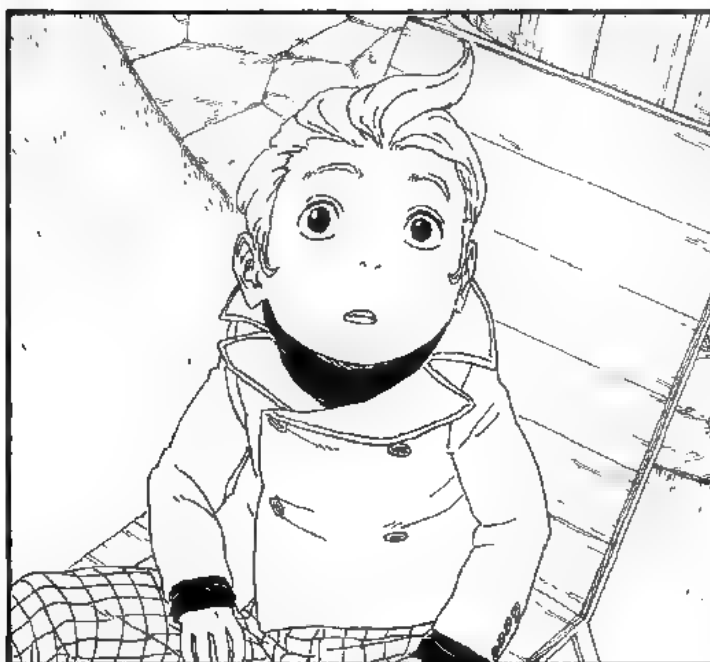
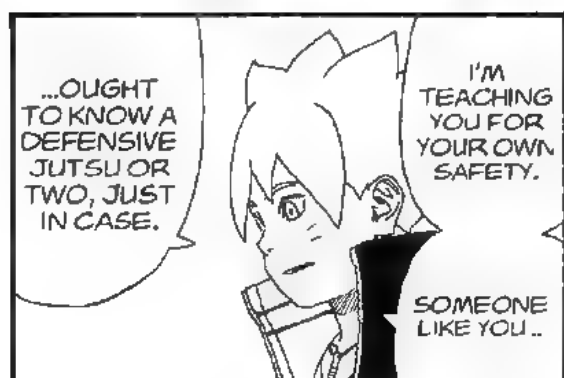
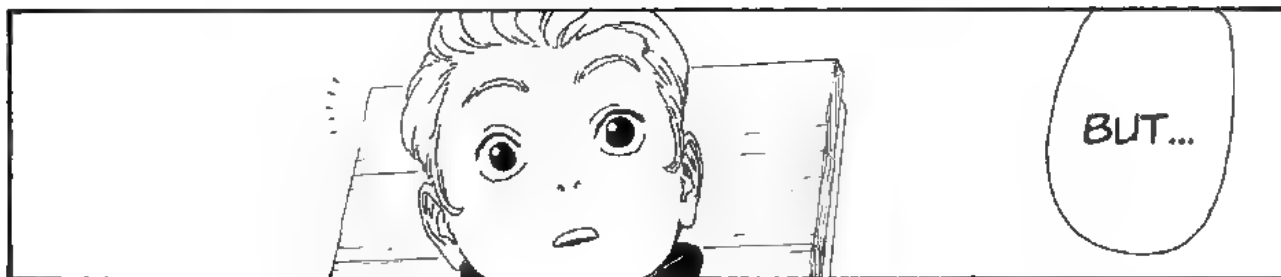




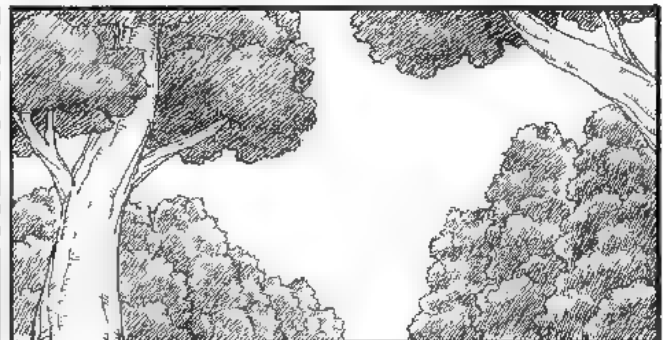
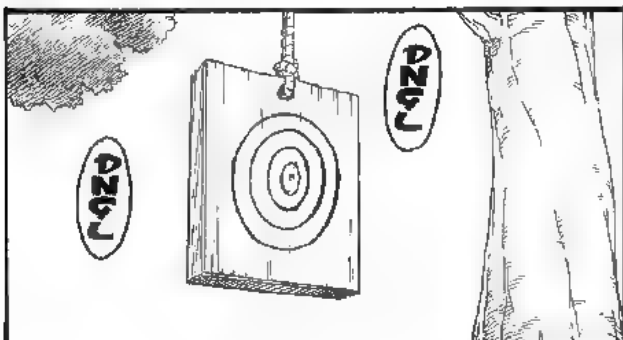
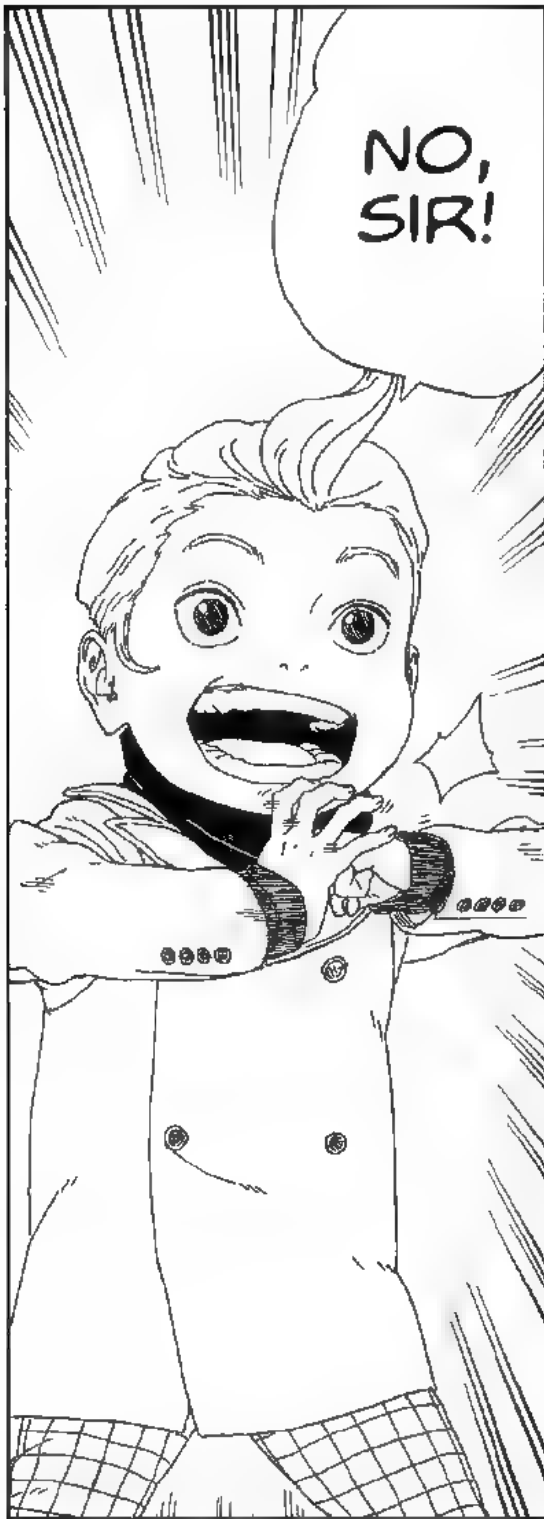


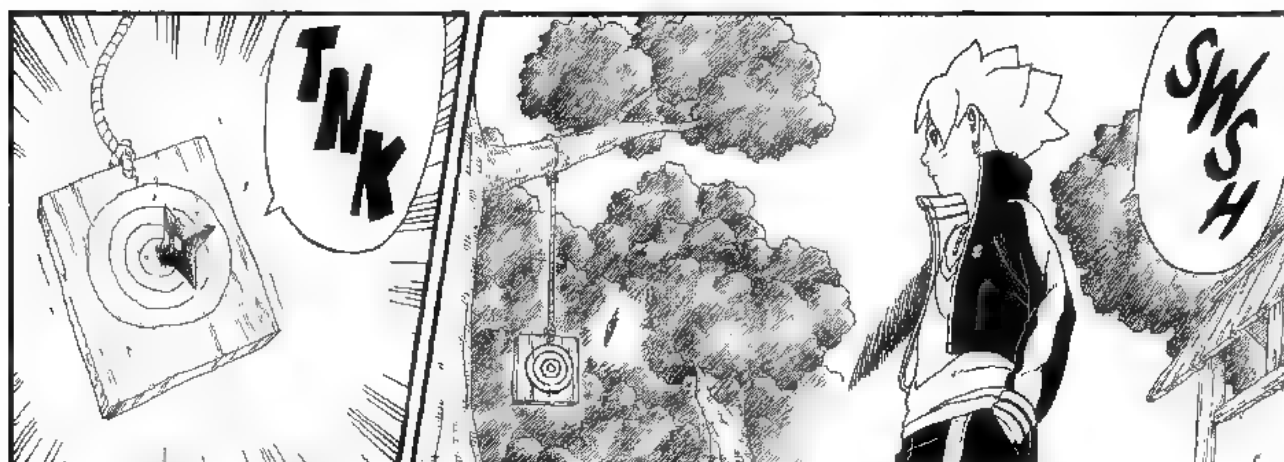
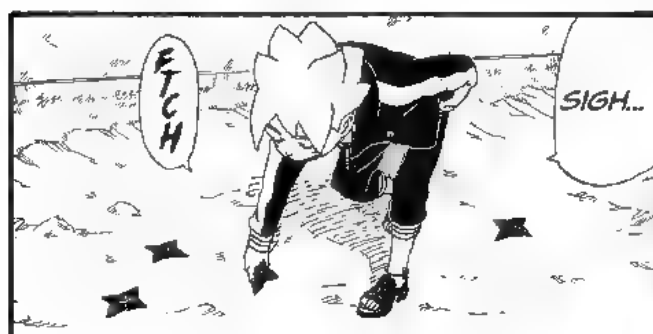
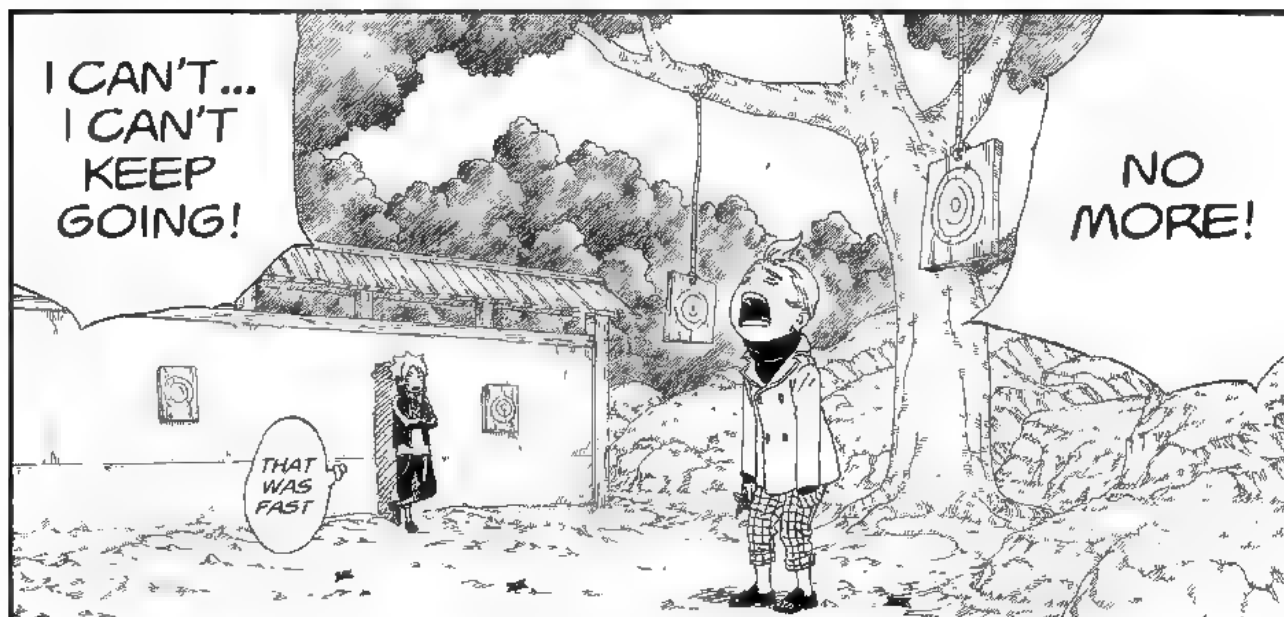


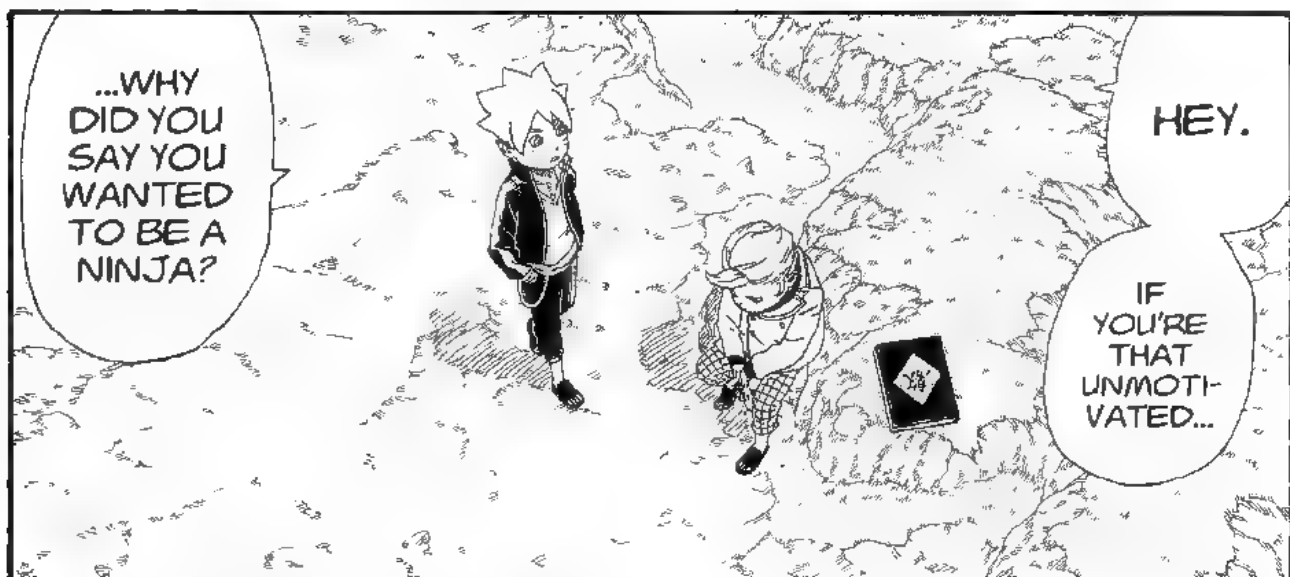














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THEY'RE  
**TRUST-  
WORTHY**  
PEOPLE.



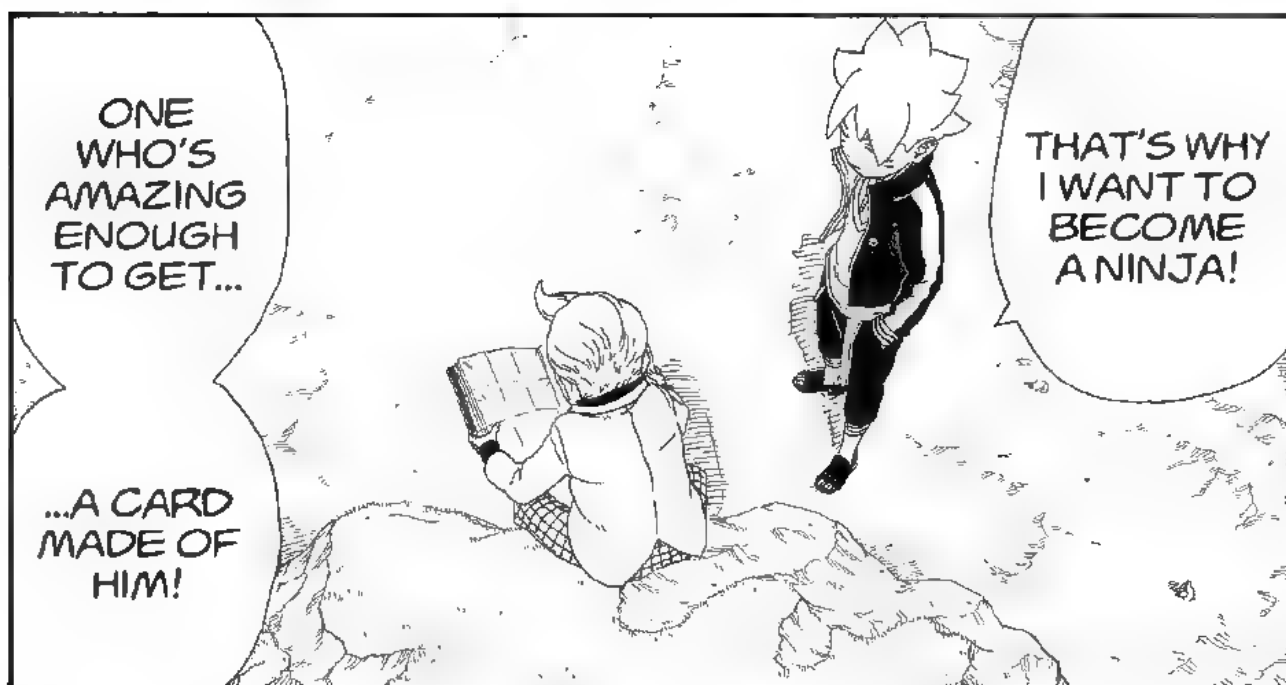
...NINJA  
ARE  
AMAZING.

MY DAD'S  
ALWAYS  
TELLING  
ME...



...AND  
THINKING  
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HE'S  
ALWAYS  
WORKING  
...



ONE  
WHO'S  
AMAZING  
ENOUGH  
TO GET...

...A CARD  
MADE OF  
HIM!

THAT'S WHY  
I WANT TO  
BECOME  
A NINJA!

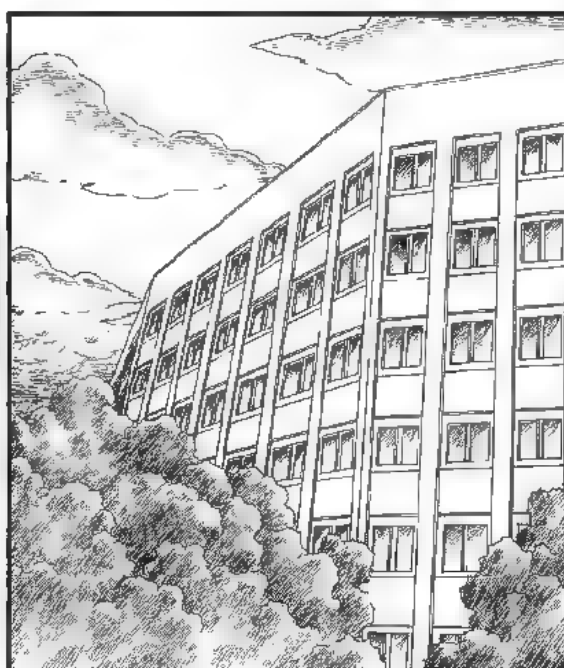
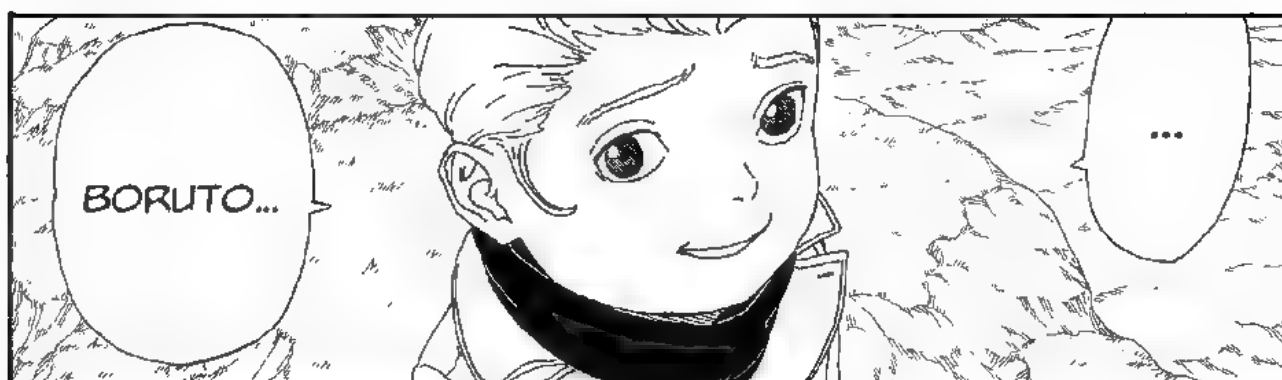


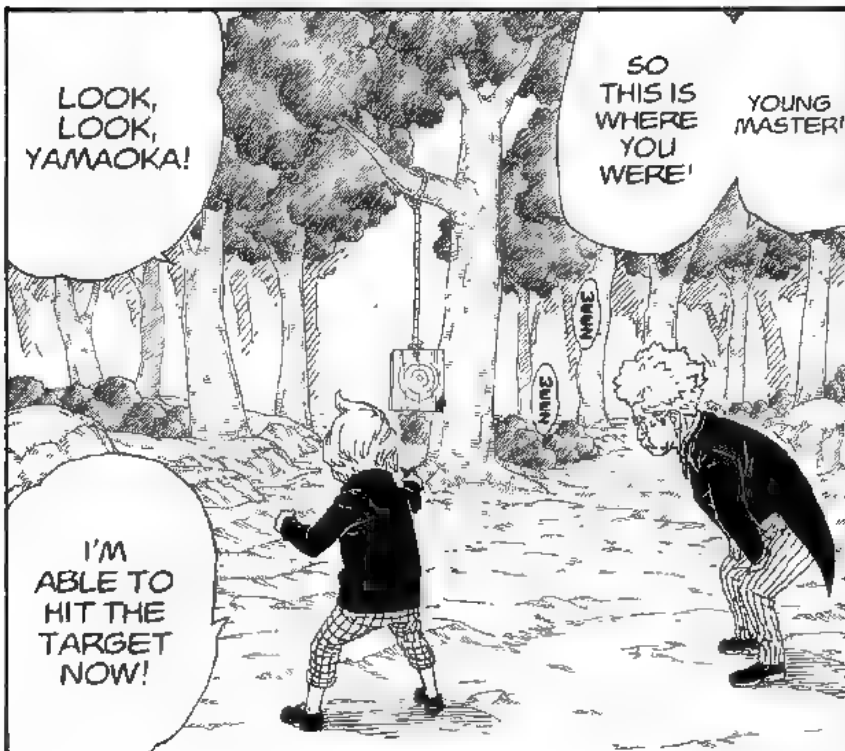
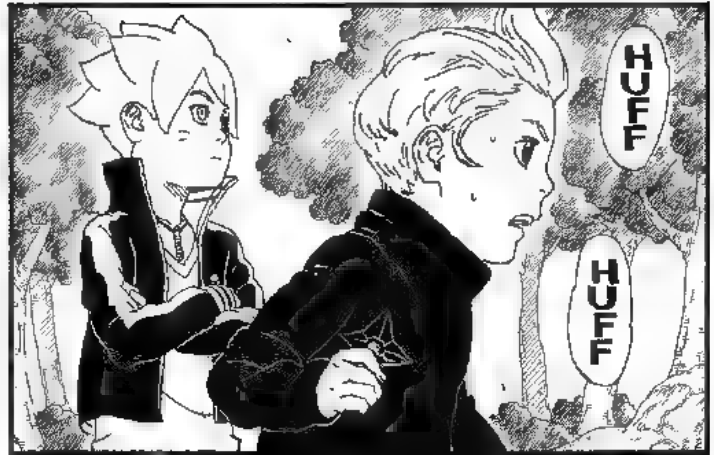
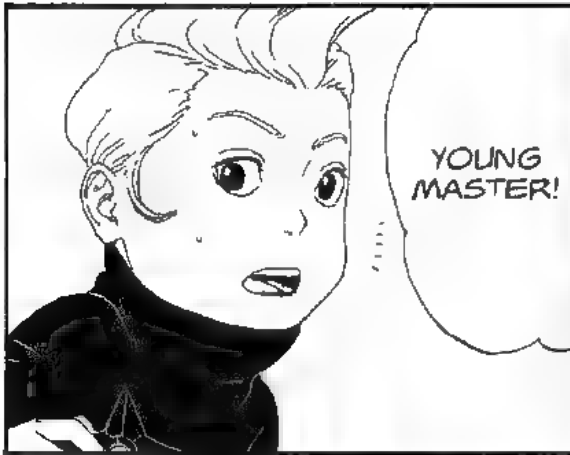
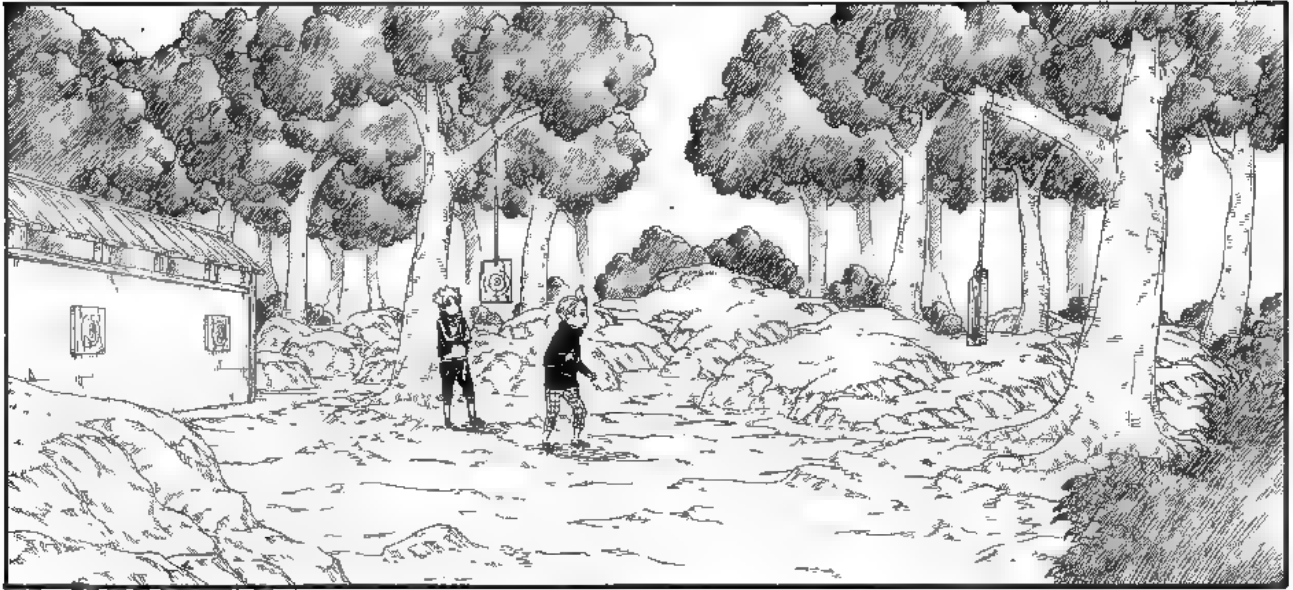
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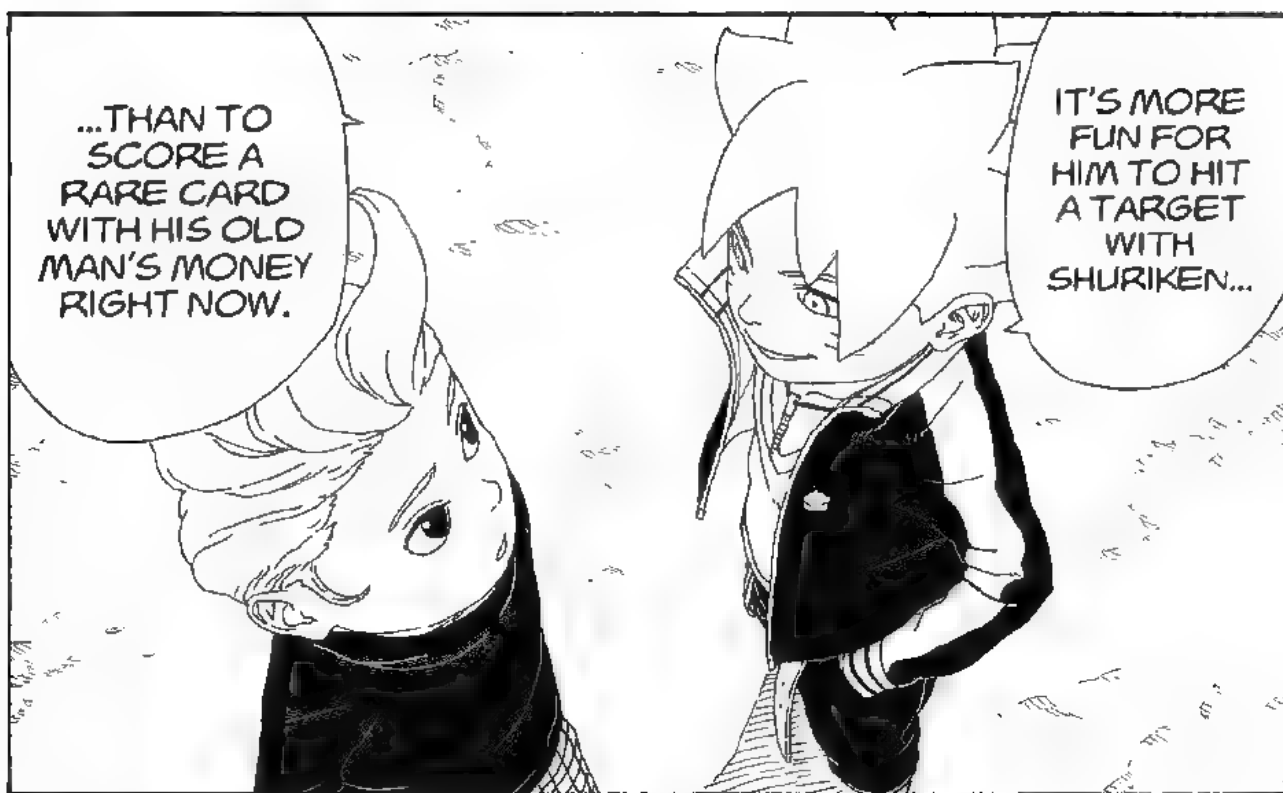
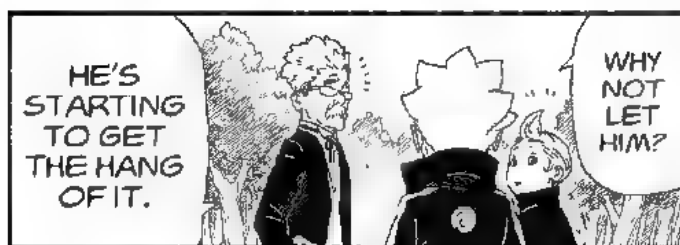
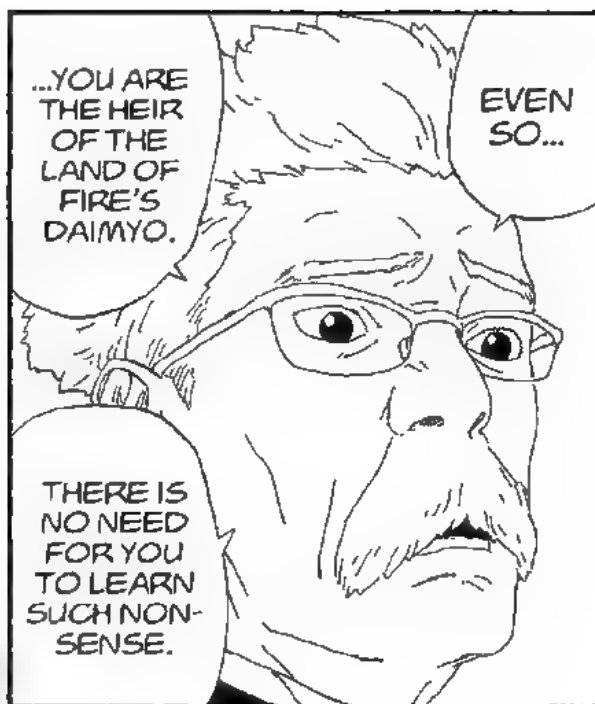


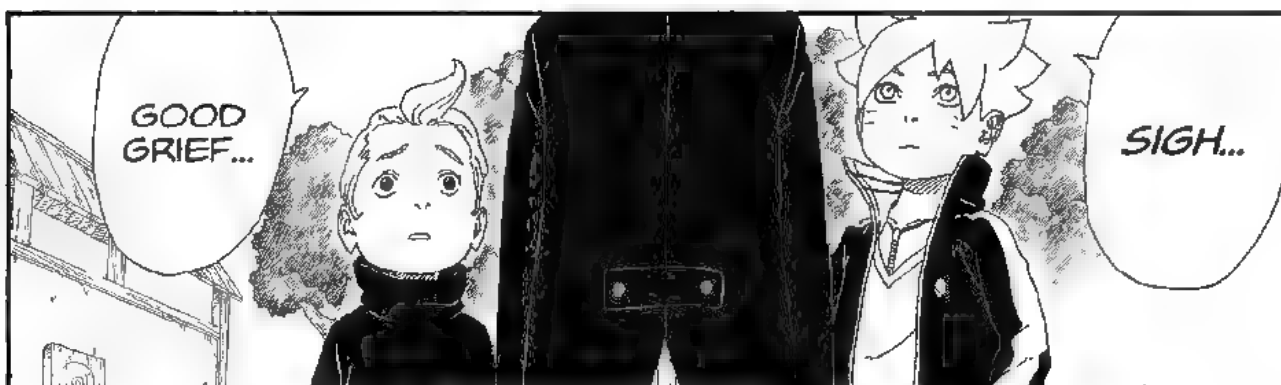
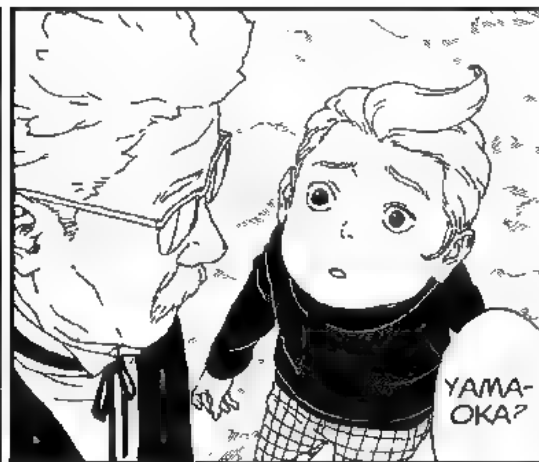




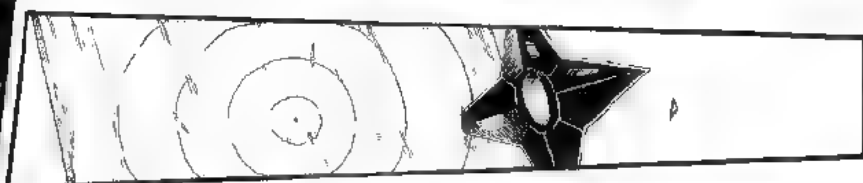
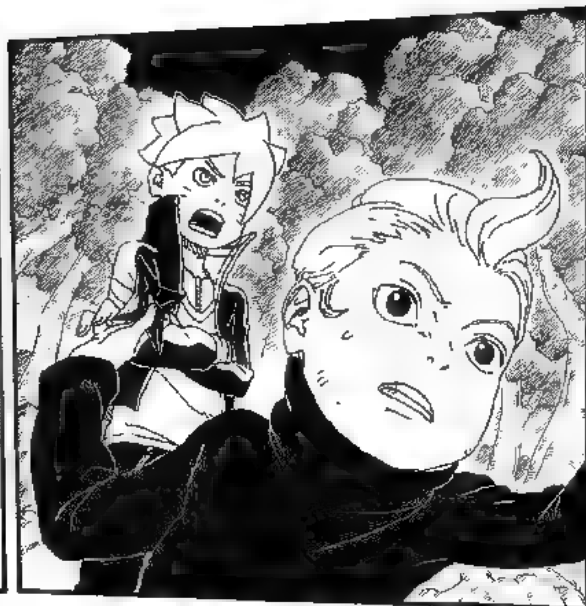
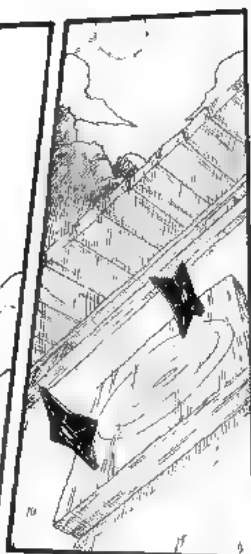
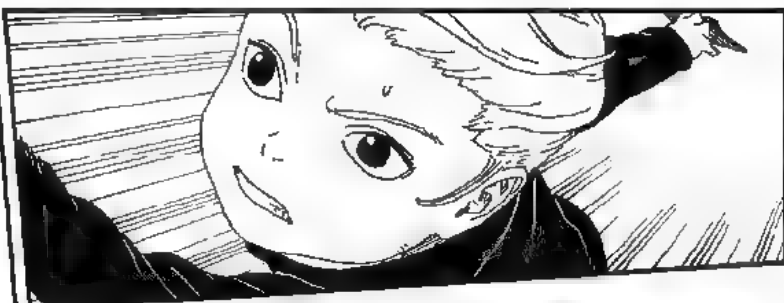
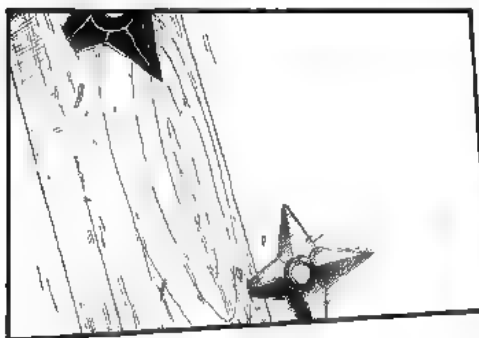
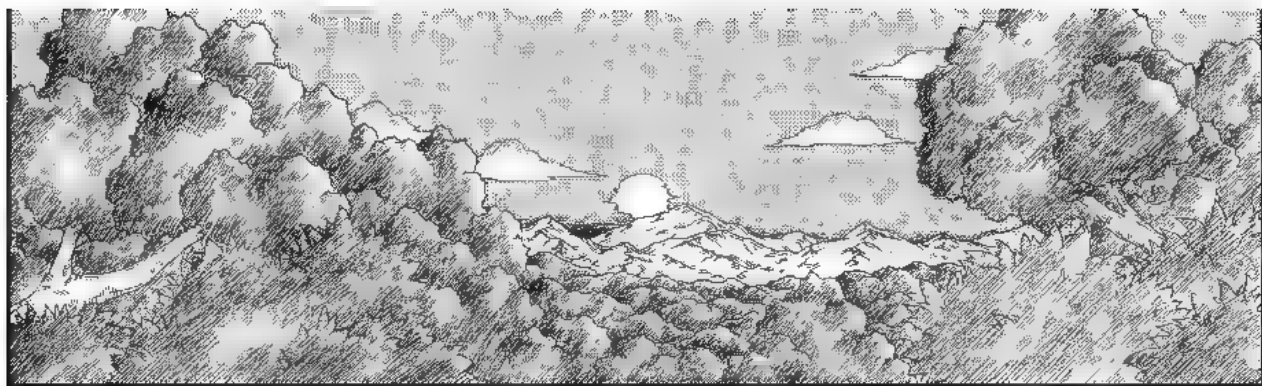


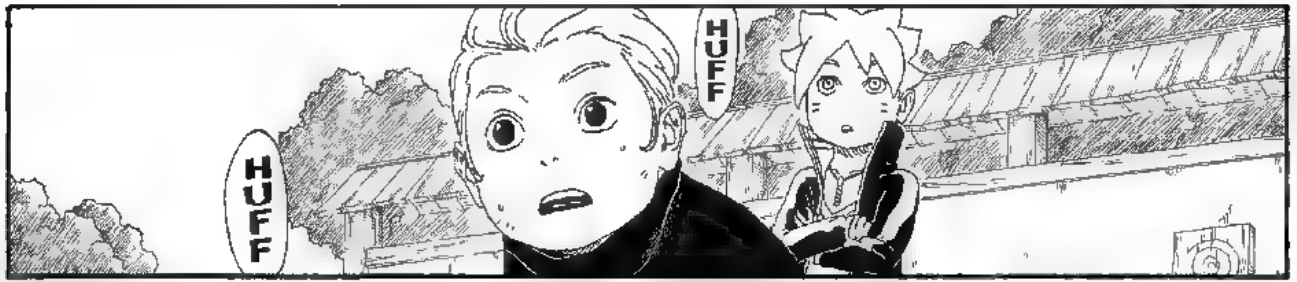


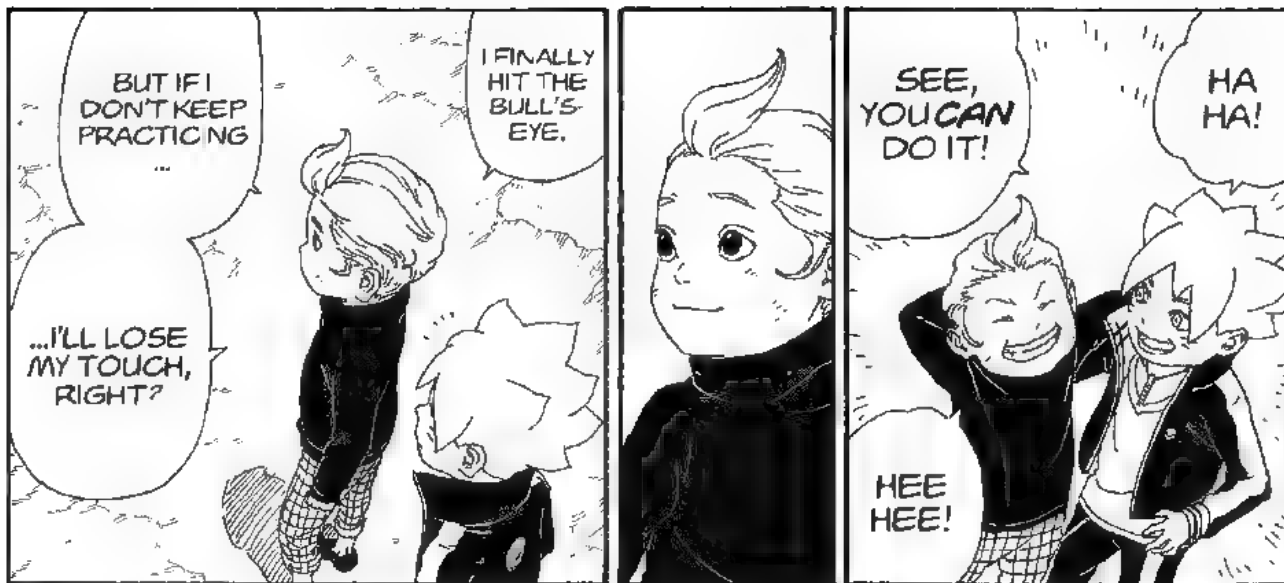


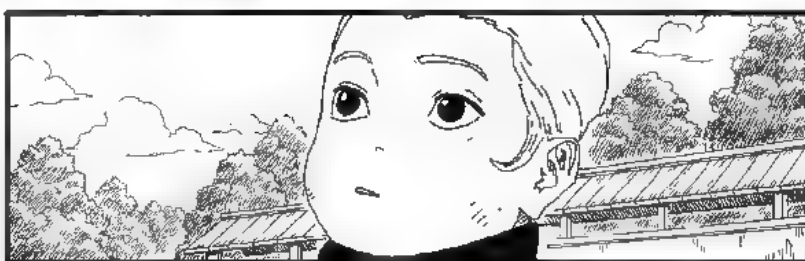
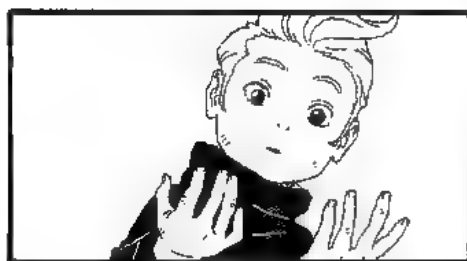


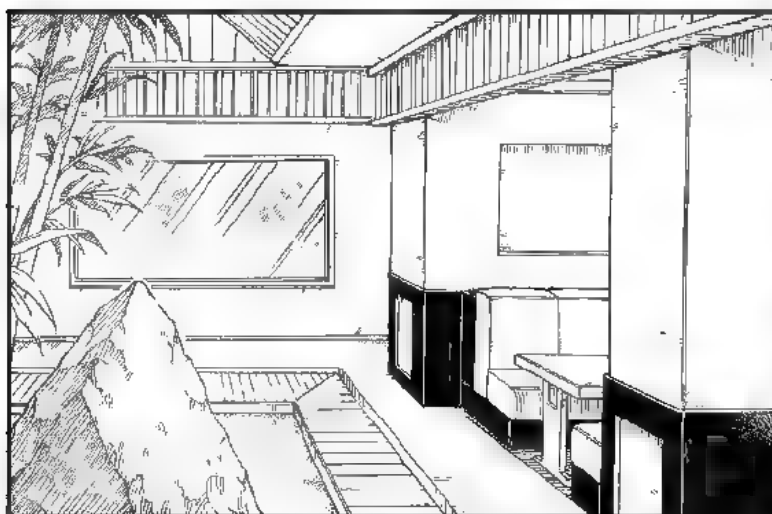
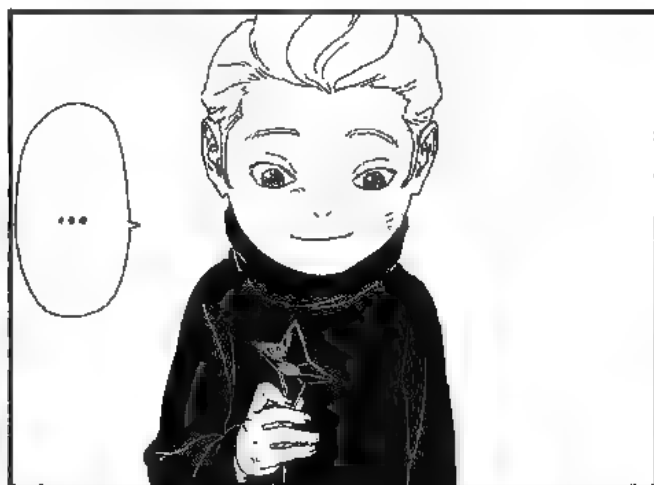




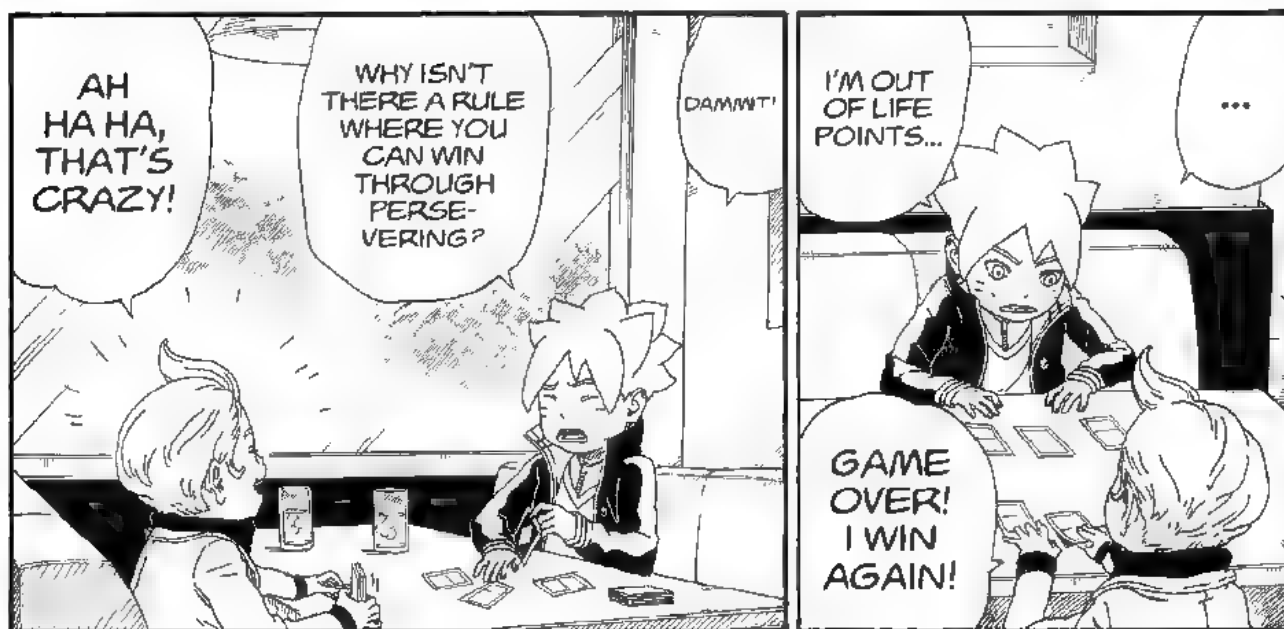


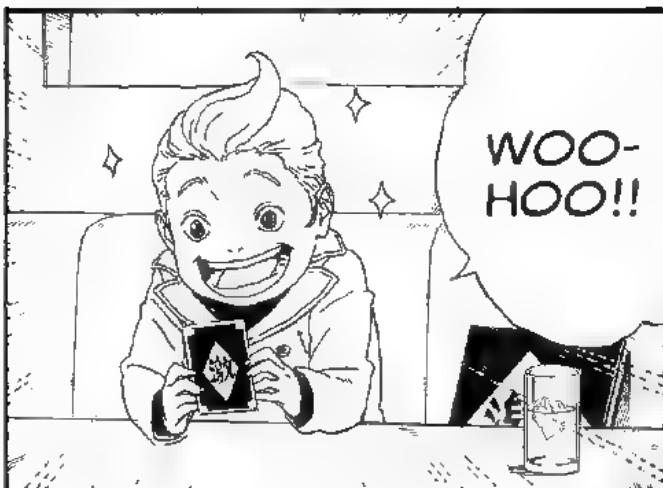
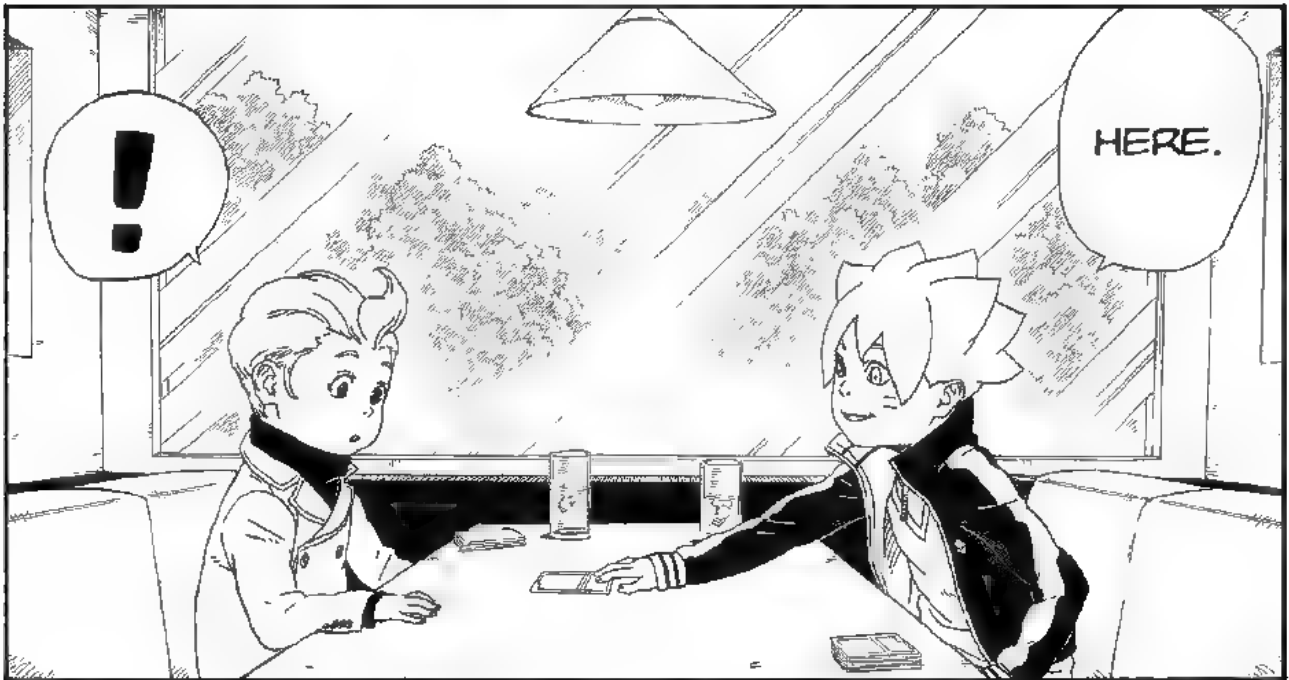
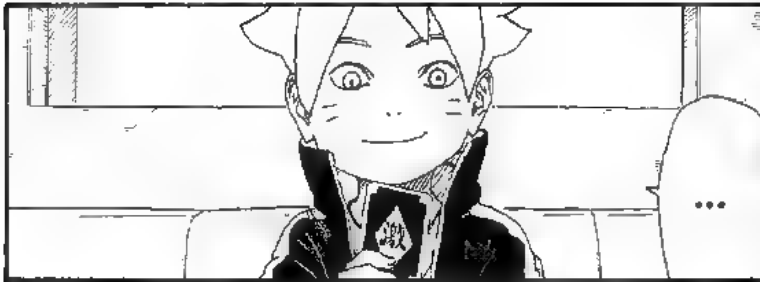
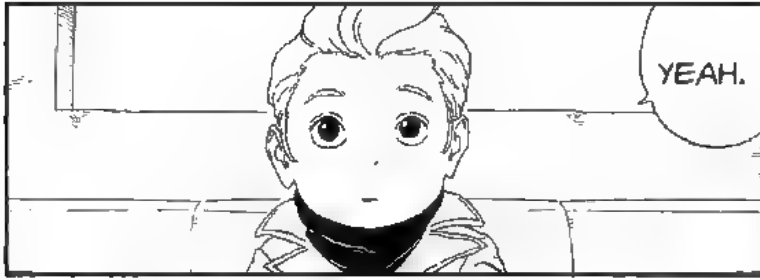


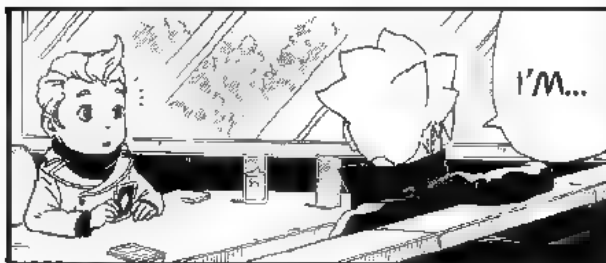


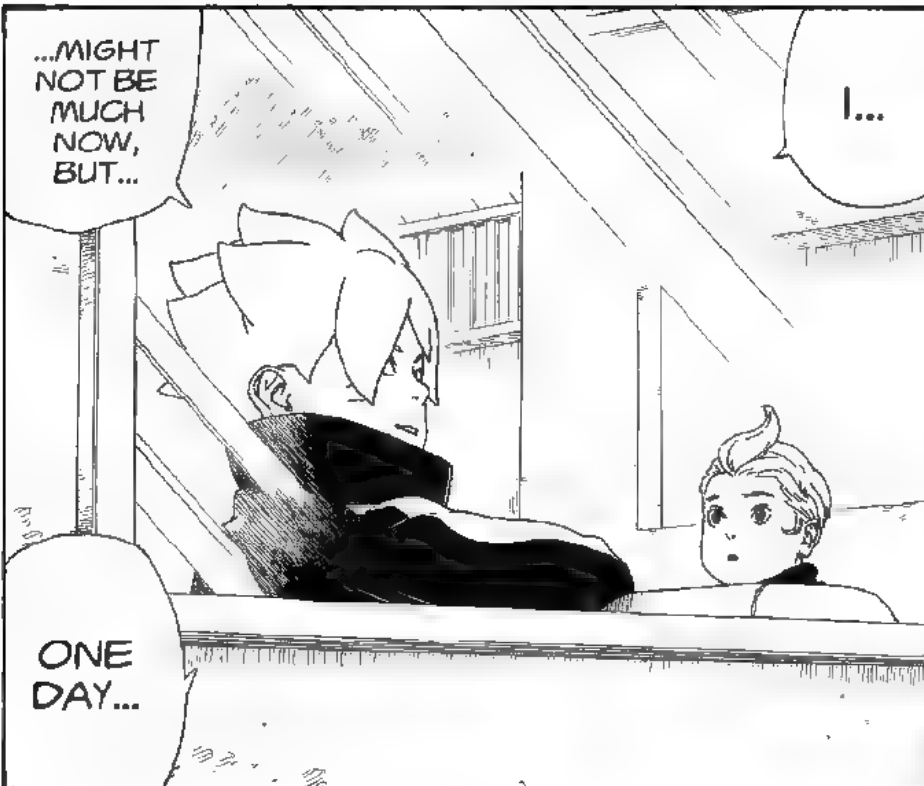
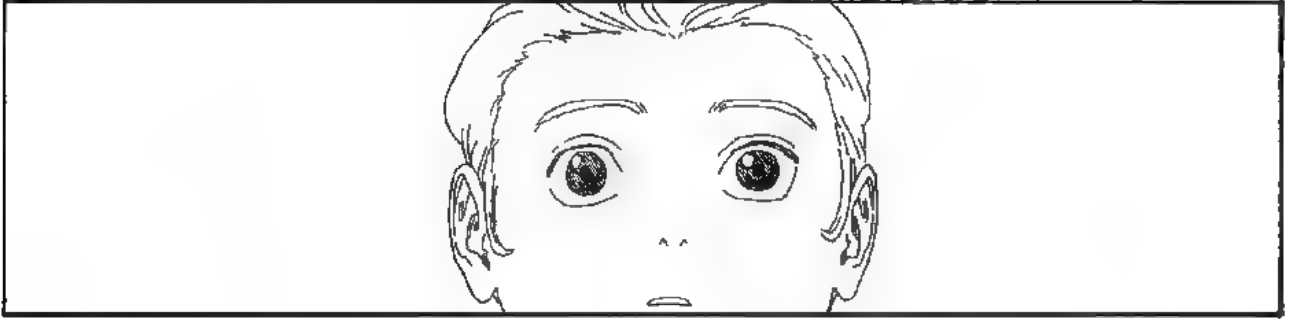






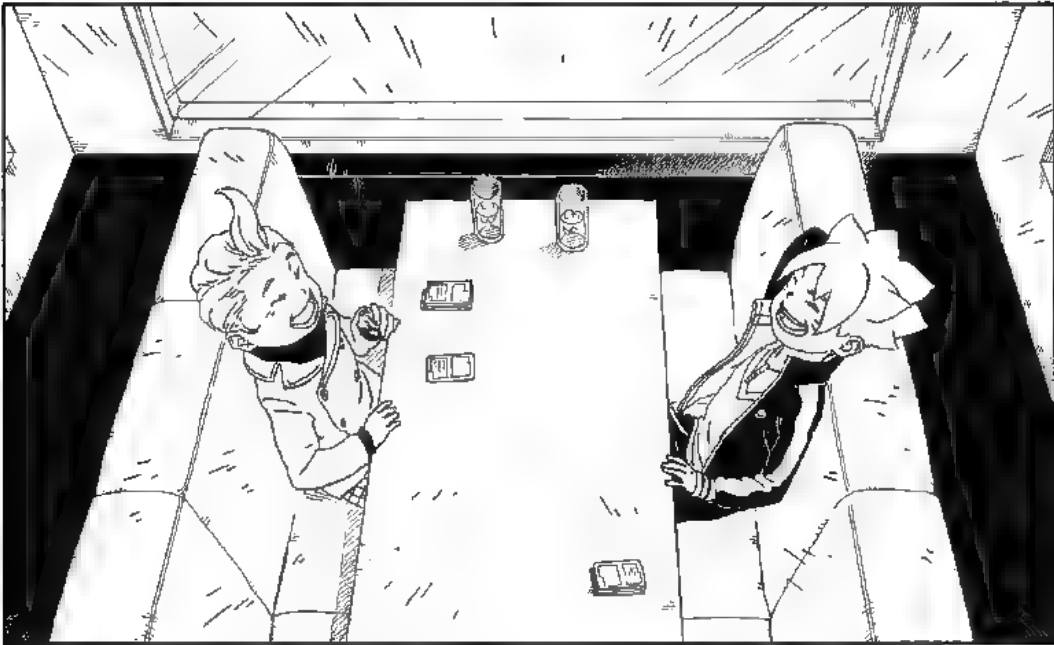


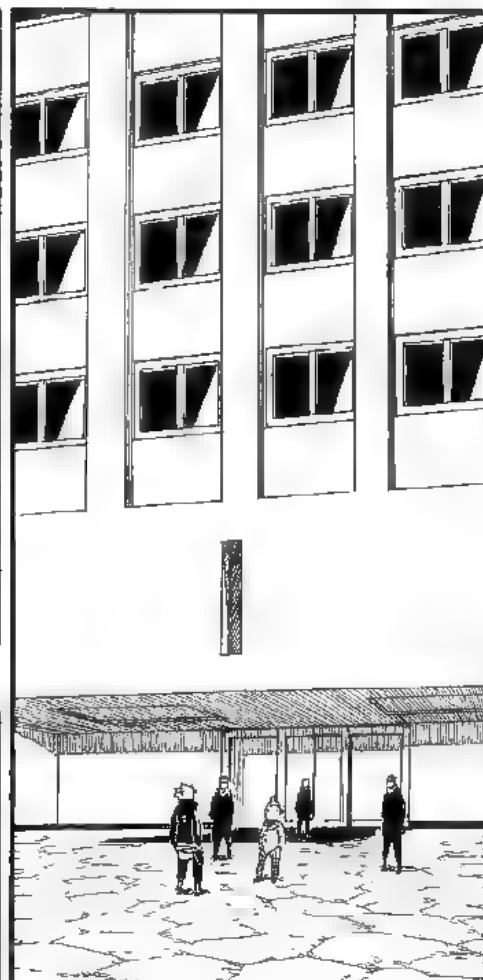
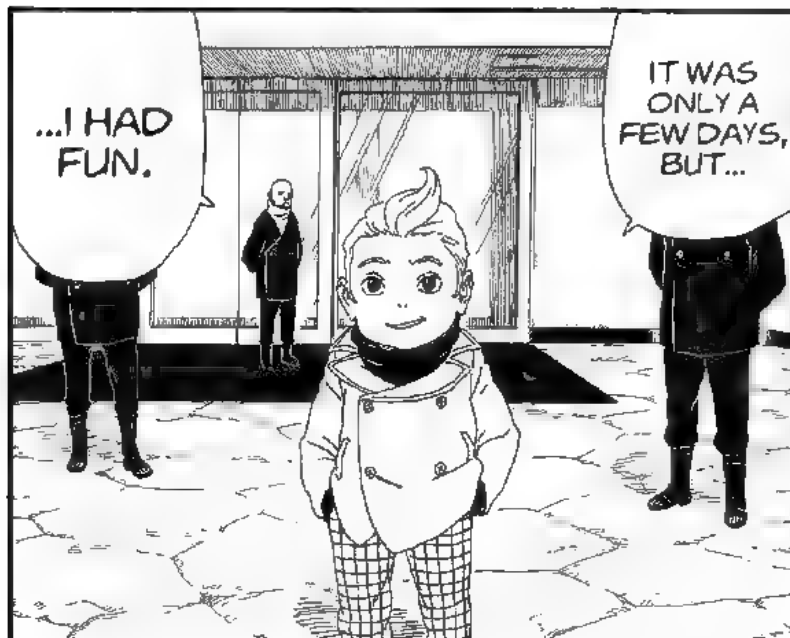


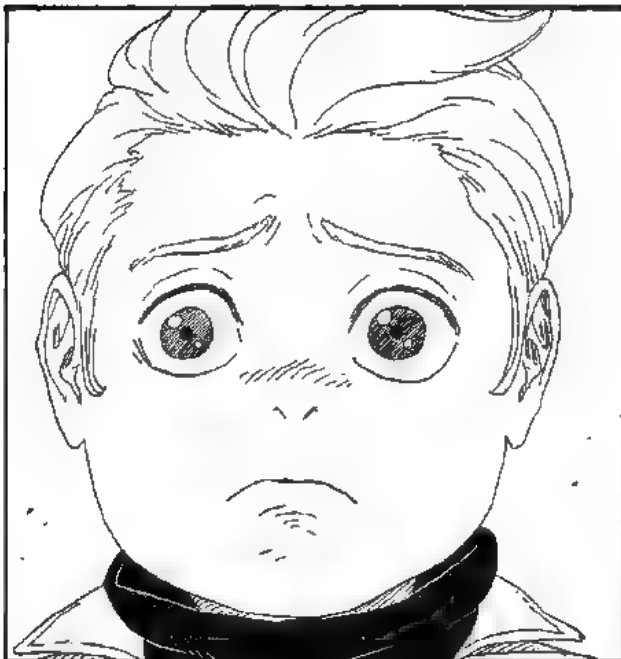
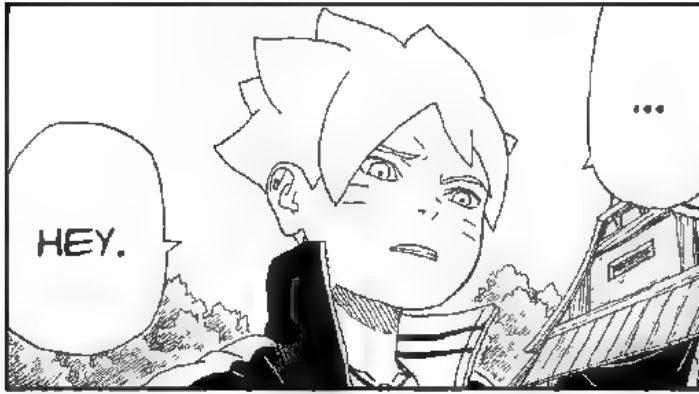


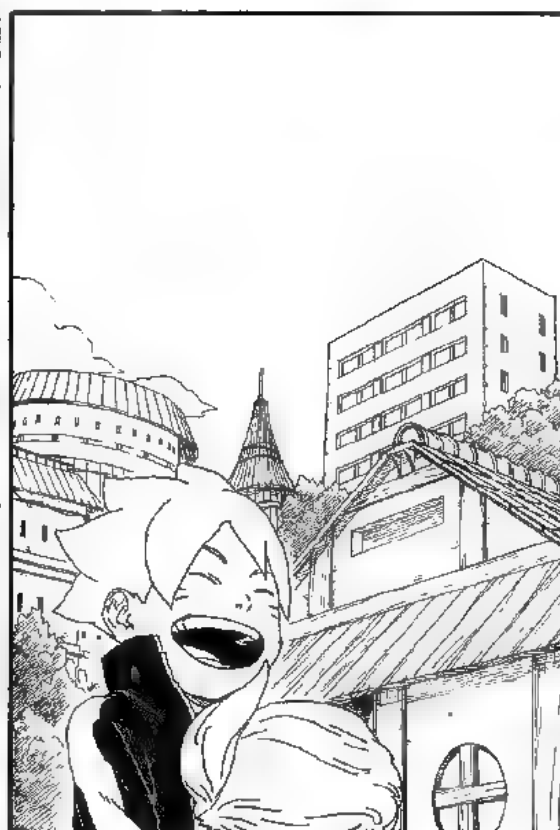
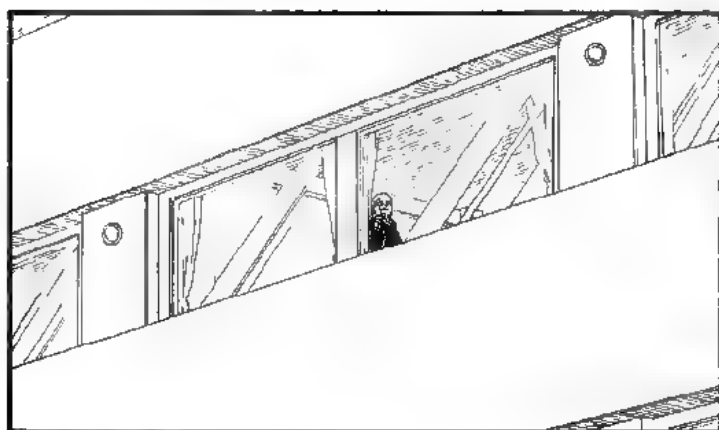














**...BOSS.**



GOOD.

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MOVE  
TONIGHT  
THEN.

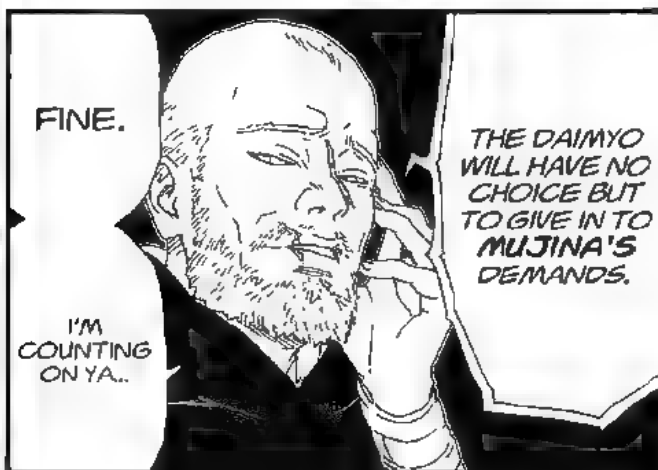
THE  
BODY-  
GUARD  
BRAT'S  
LEAVING



DON'T  
SWEAT  
IT.

SOME TIME  
WAS WASTED,  
BUT THE PLAN  
HASN'T BEEN  
AFFECTED.

YOU  
HAVE  
THE  
FACE?



FINE.

I'M  
COUNTING  
ON YA..

THE DAIMYO  
WILL HAVE NO  
CHOICE BUT  
TO GIVE IN TO  
MUJINA'S  
DEMANDS.

# NARA SHIKAMARU



"Well, it's  
just as  
I called it."



HE'S THE  
DAIMYO  
OF OUR  
LAND OF  
FIRE.

## Attributes

Strength.....	115	Dexterity.....	133
Intelligence.....	210	Chakra.....	100
Perception.....	160	Negotiation.....	130

## Skills

Intel crafting ☆☆☆☆☆

Observation ☆☆☆☆☆ etc.

## Ninja Arts

Shadow Possession Jutsu, Shadow Paralysis Jutsu, Shadow Strangulation Jutsu, etc.

\*Average attribute value is 60 for ordinary people and 90 for genin. Skill values range from 1 to 5☆ with 5☆ signifying super top-notch. \*6 is a value beyond superhuman.



# Number 13: The Value of a Hidden Ace!!

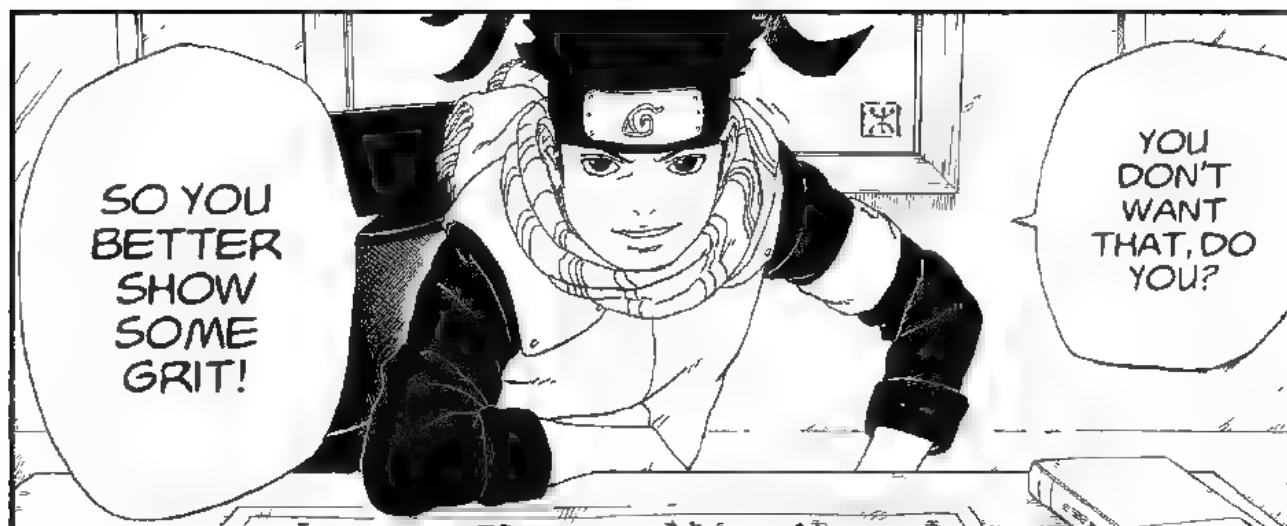




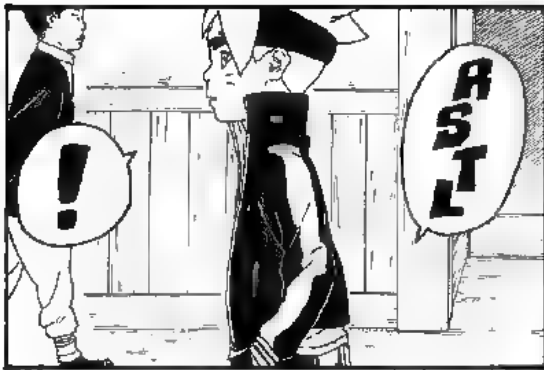
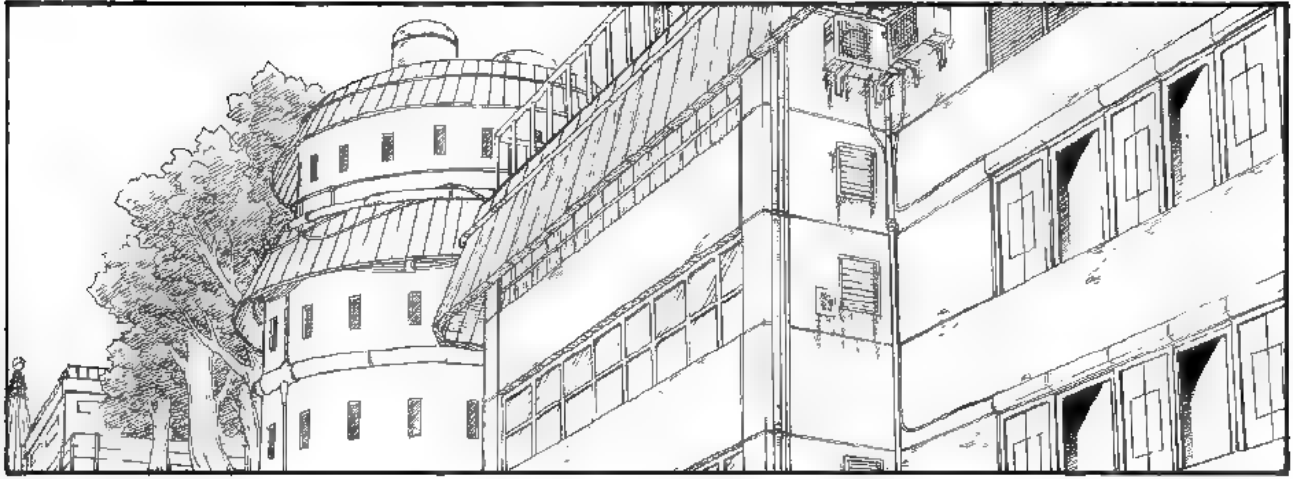






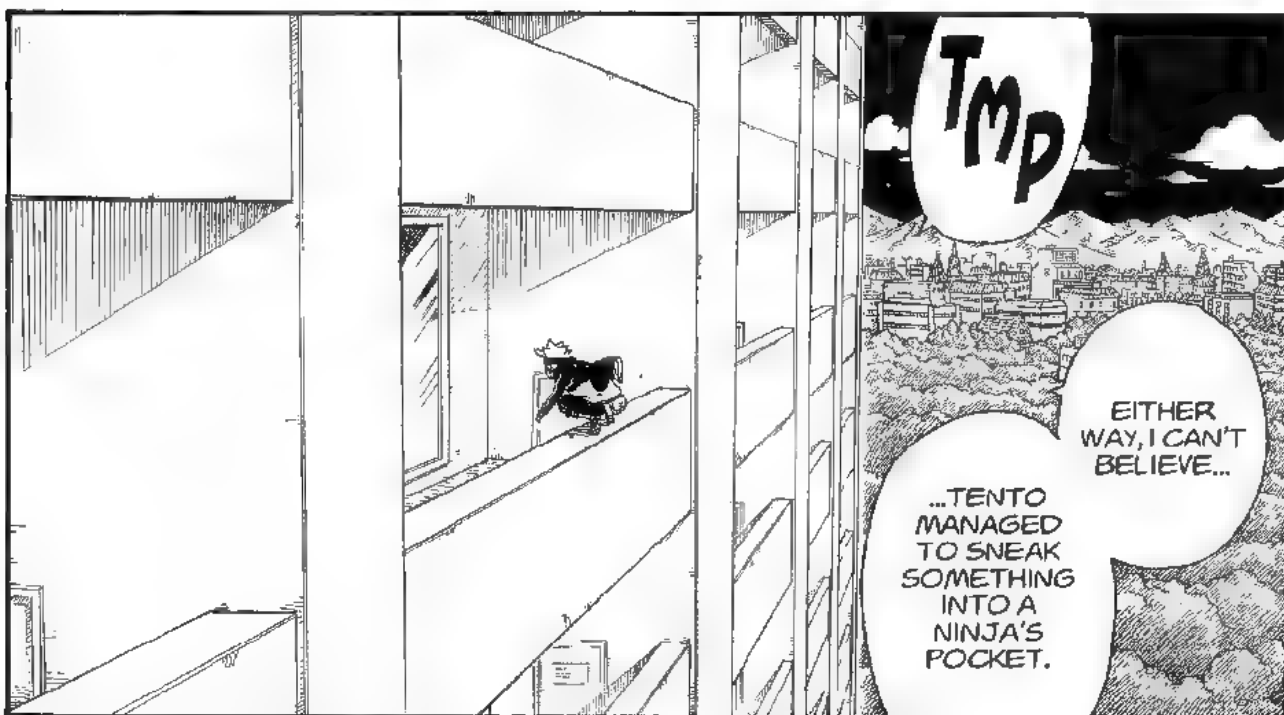
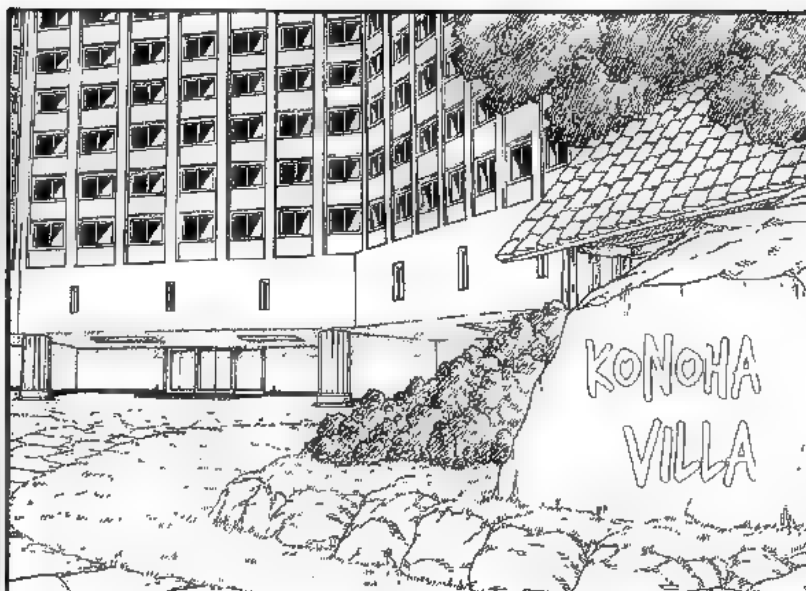
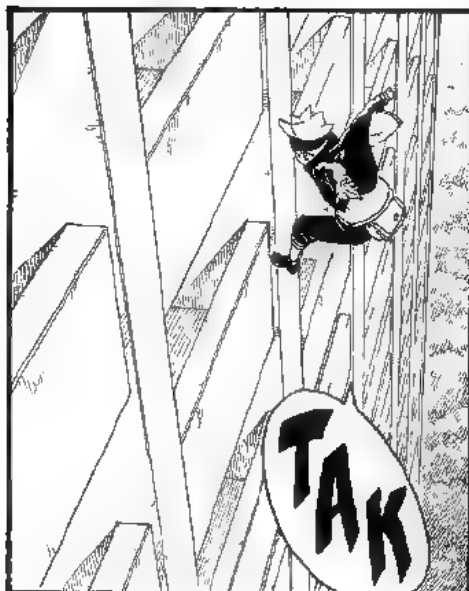


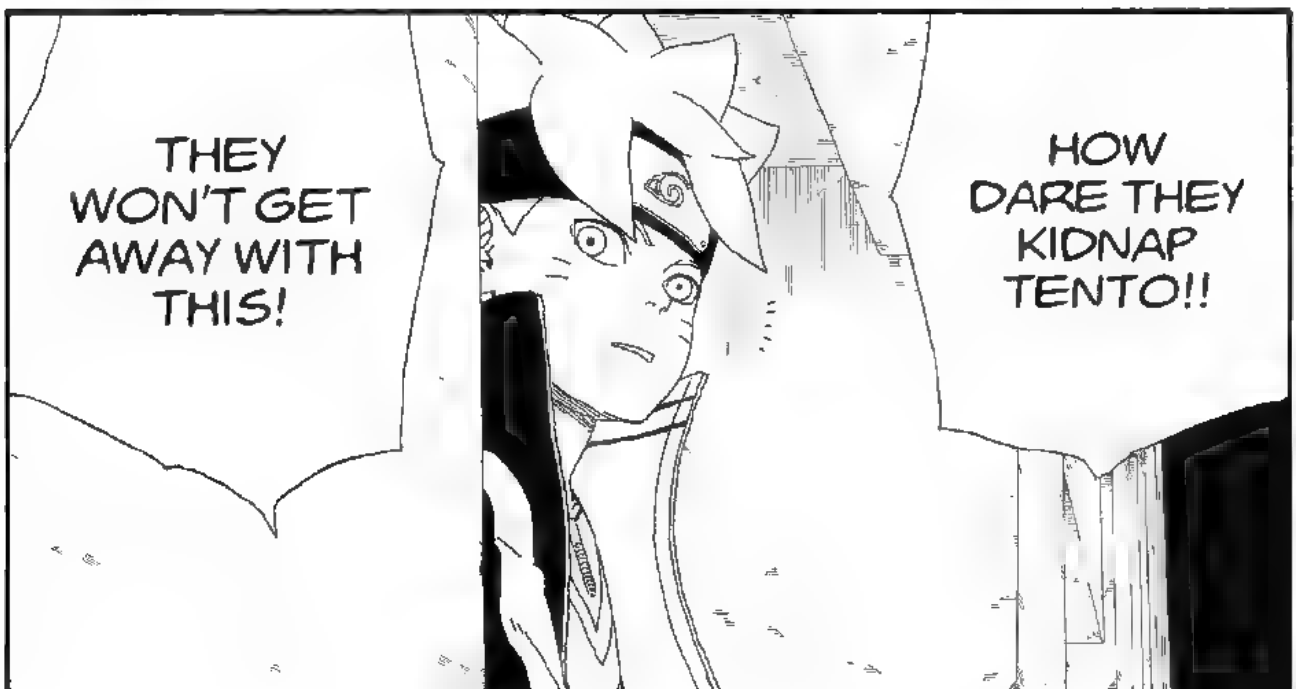


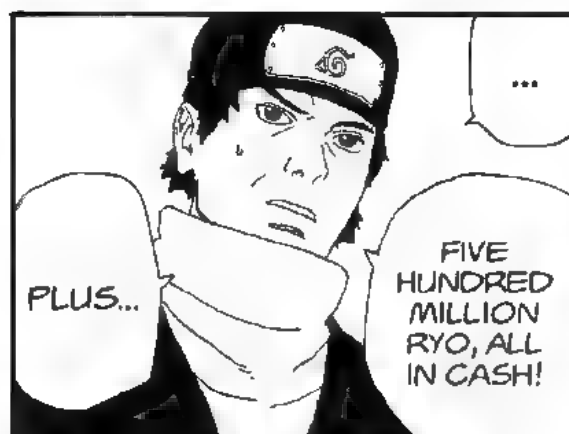
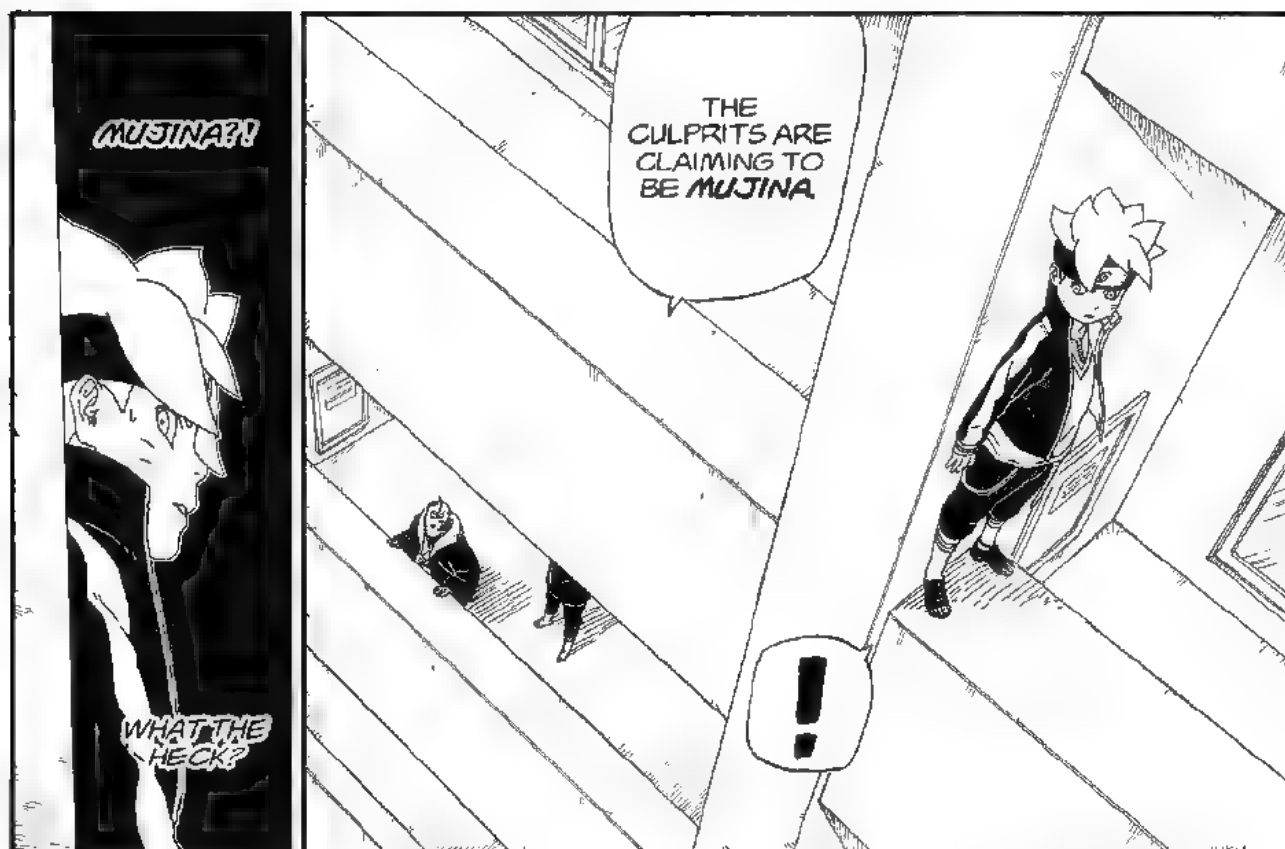
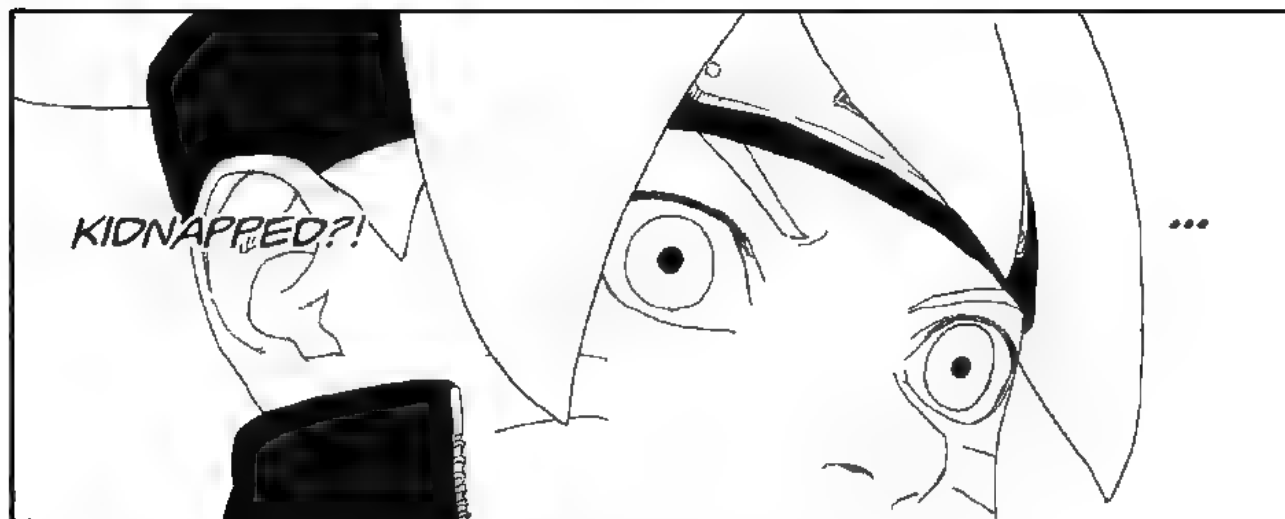




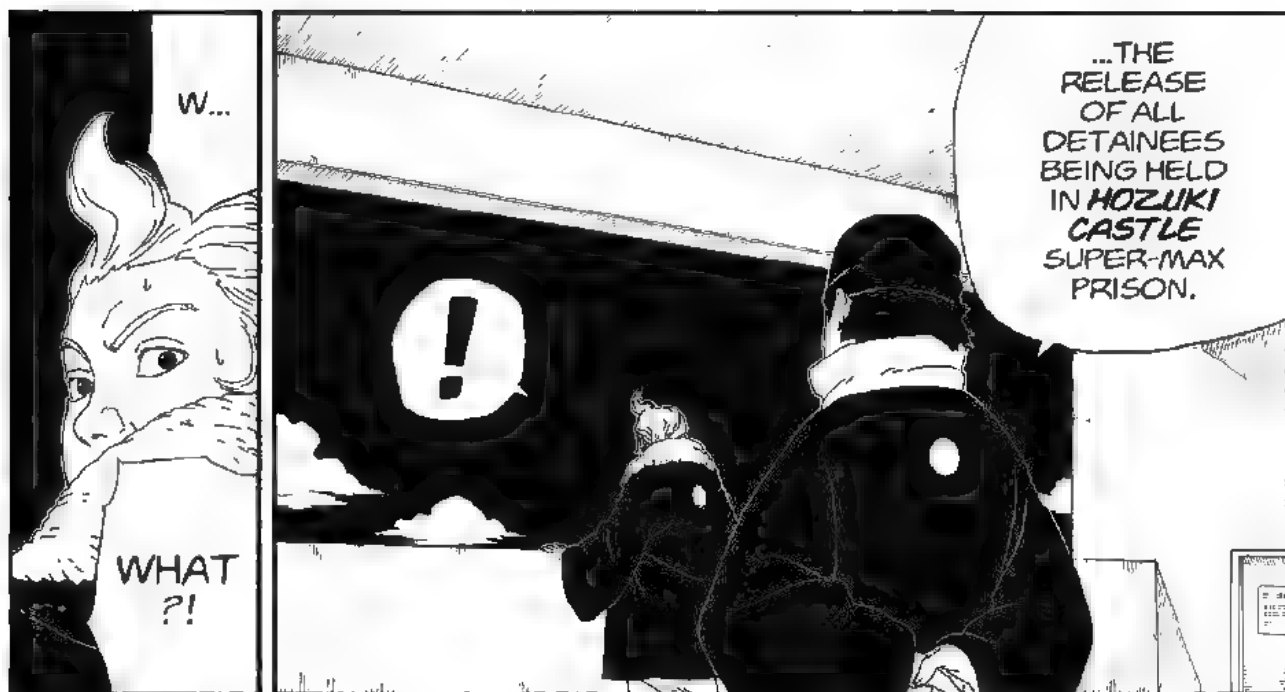


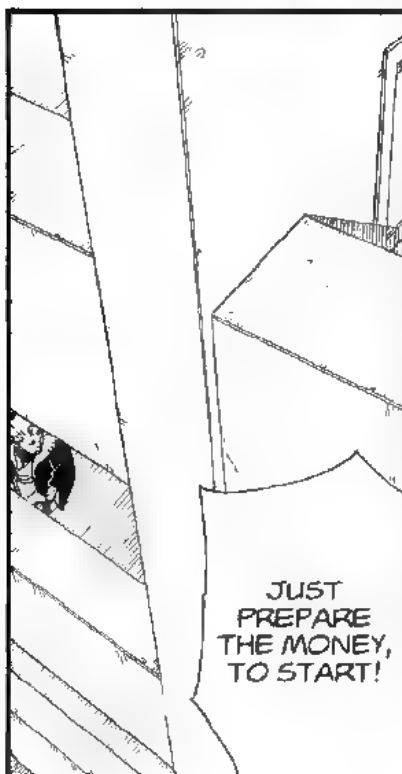
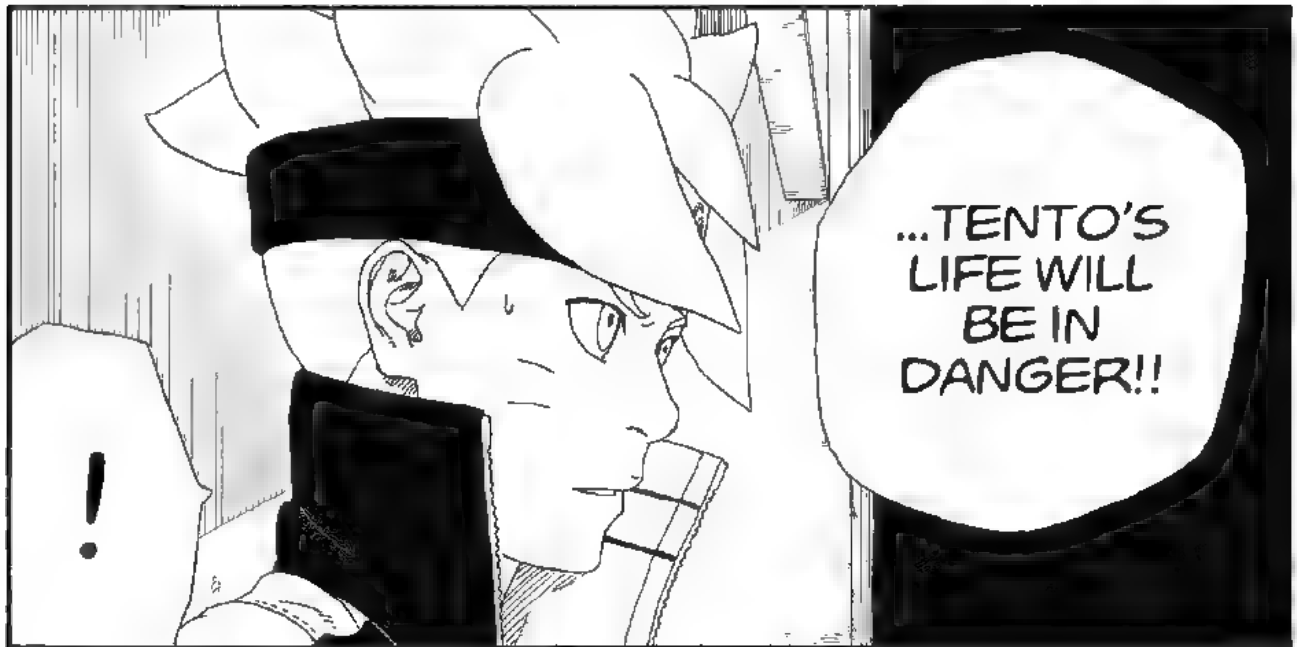


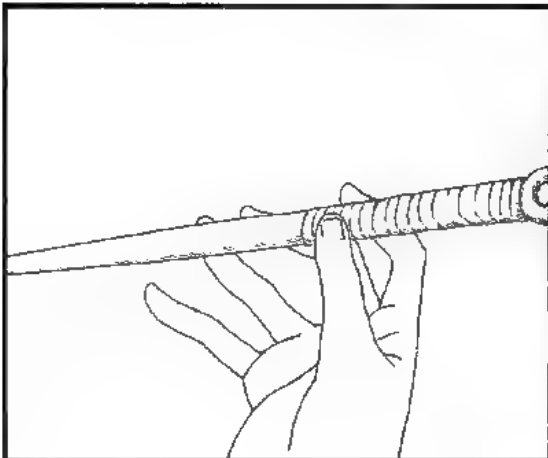


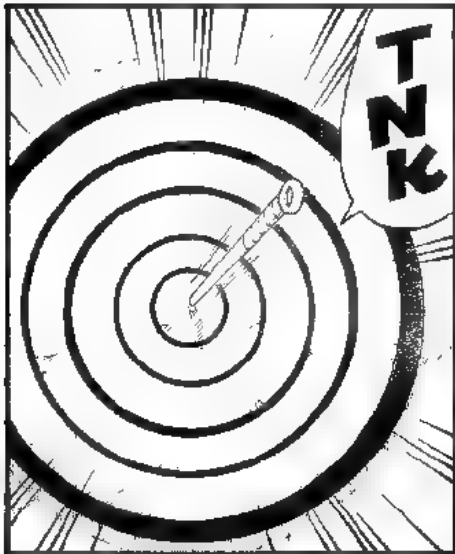
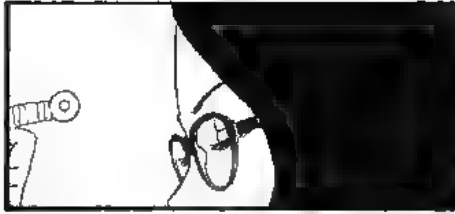


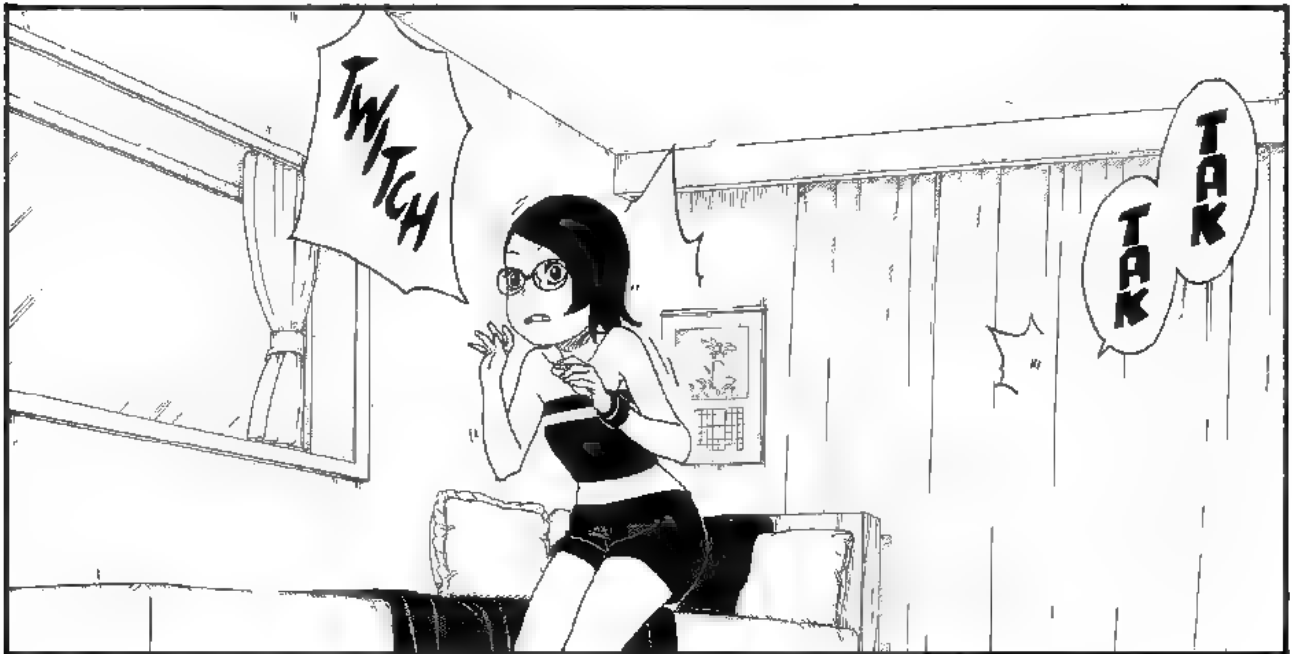
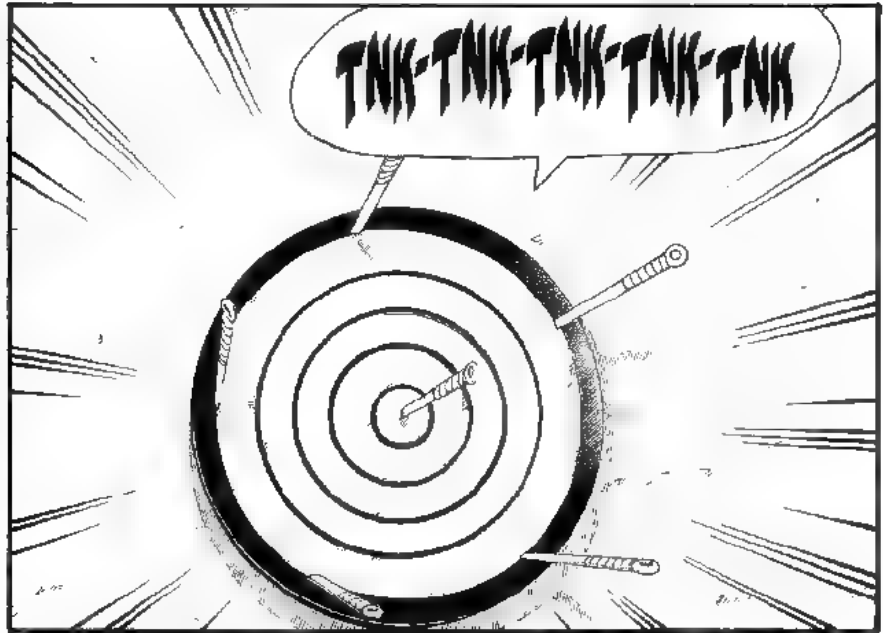






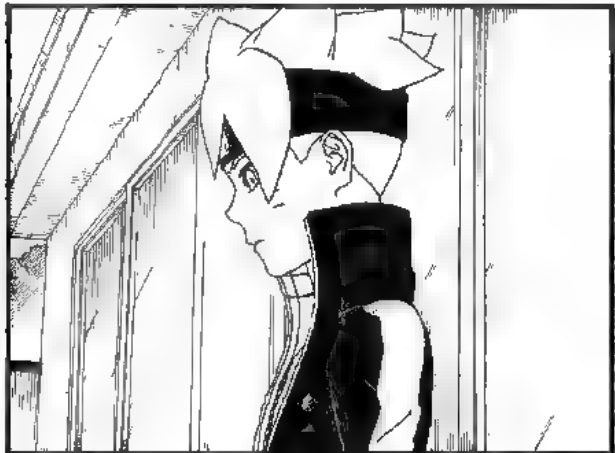


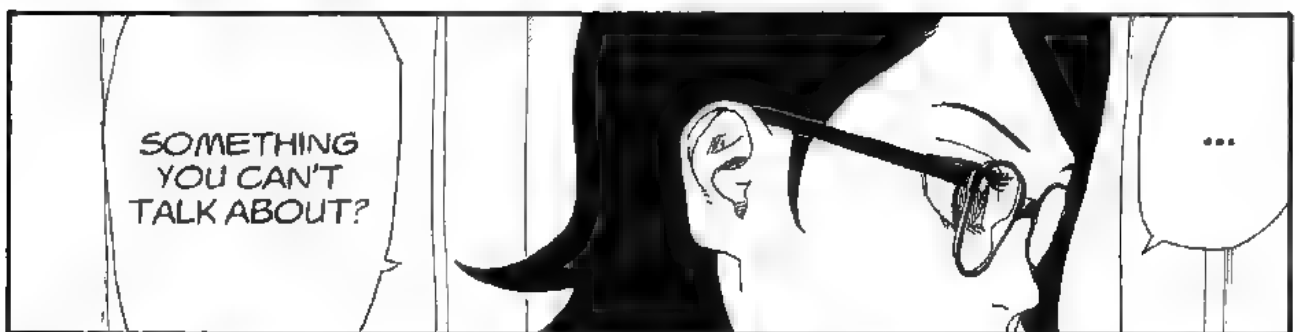


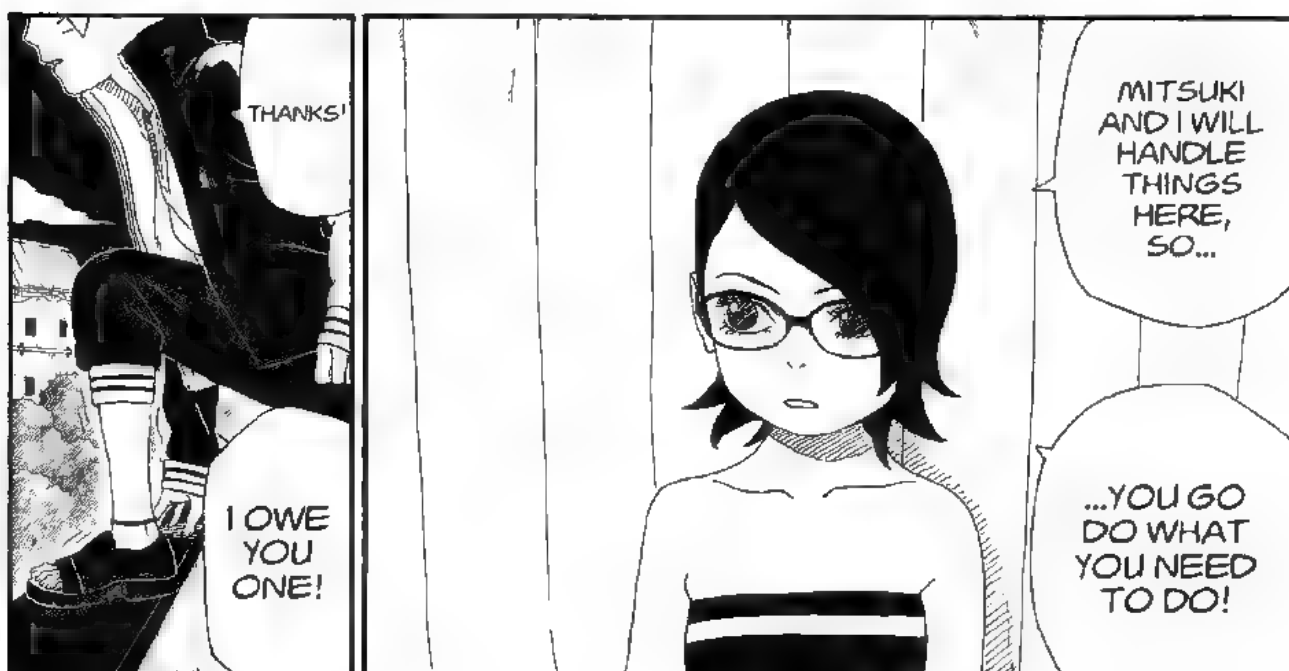


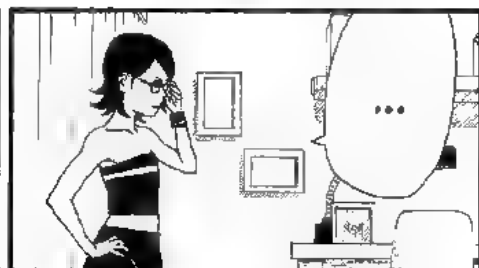


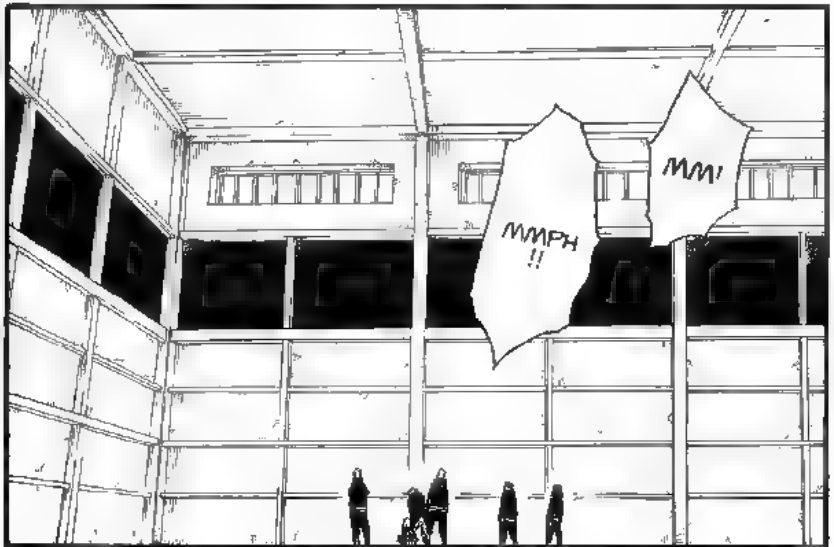
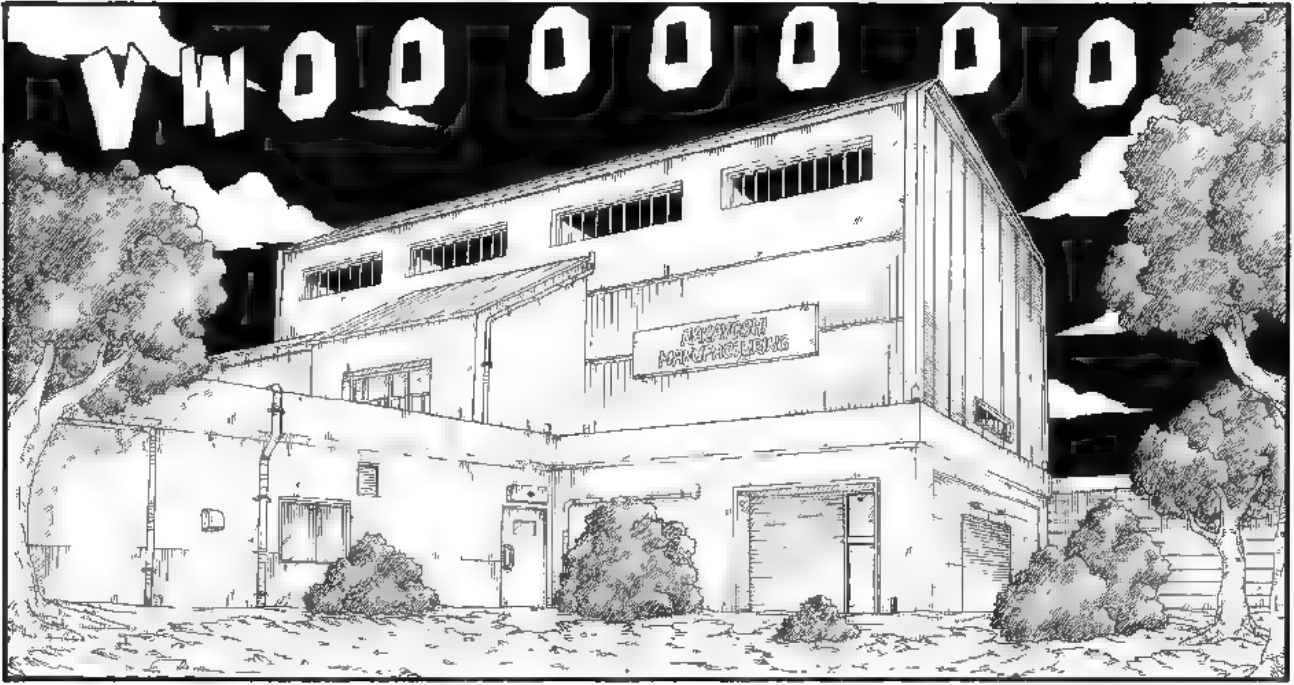






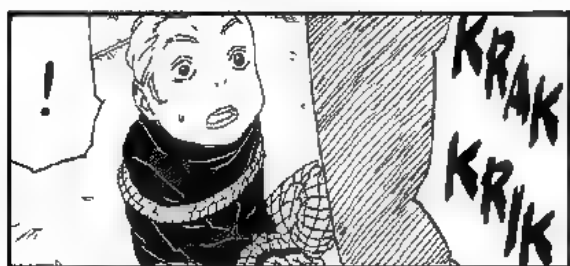
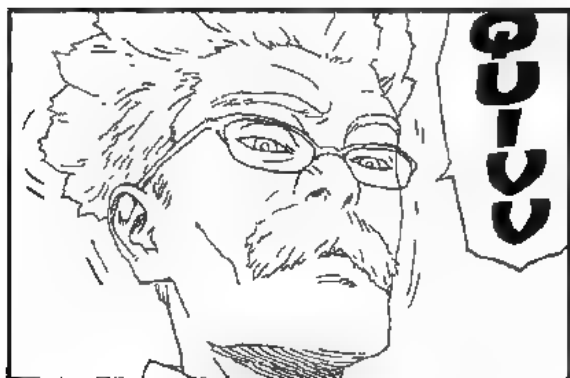




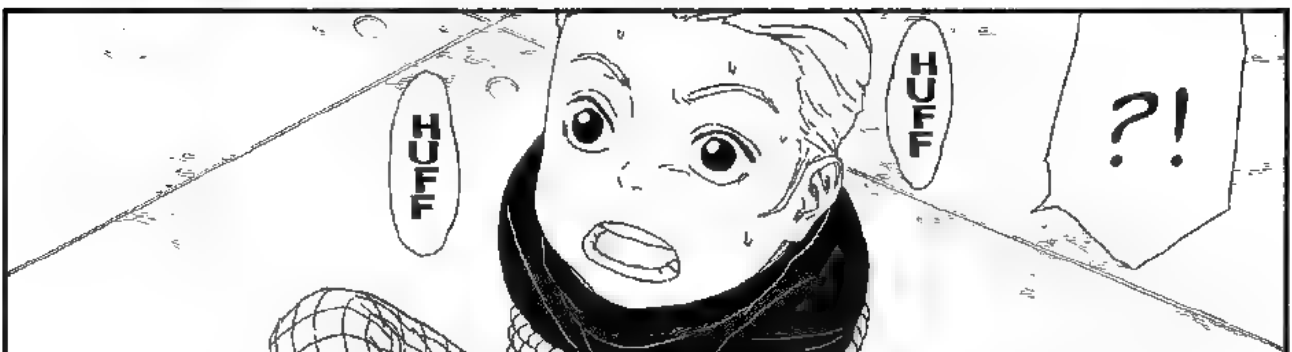
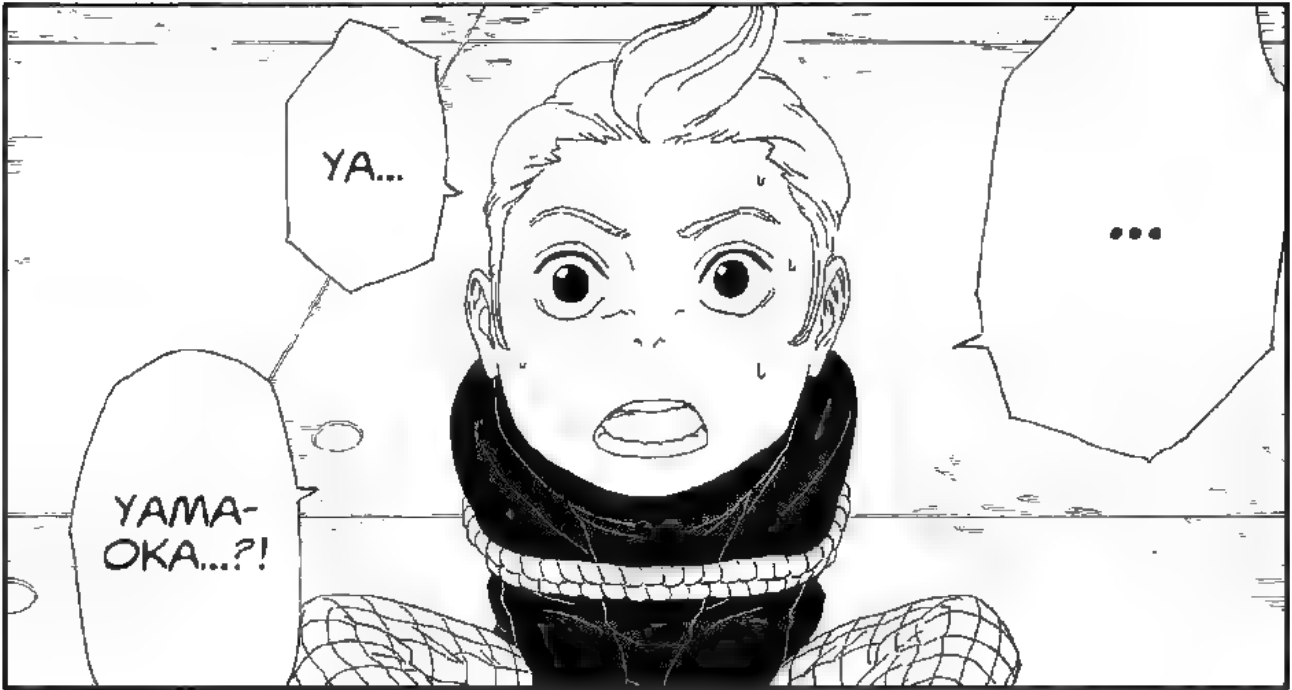






















UGH... GAH...

HEH  
HEH  
HEH.



...YOU  
WANT TO  
BECOME  
A CARD-  
WORTHY  
AMAZING  
NINJA.

YOU'RE  
ALWAYS  
SAYING...

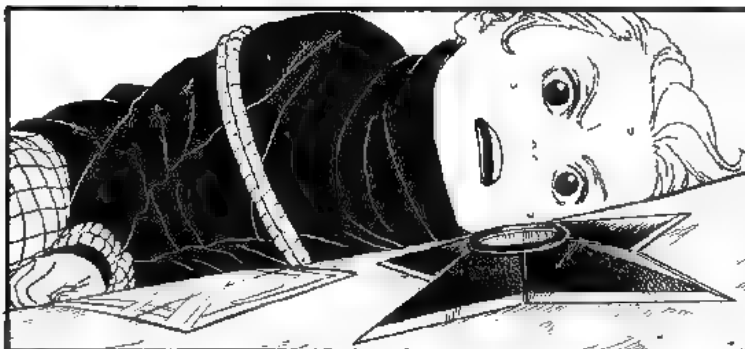
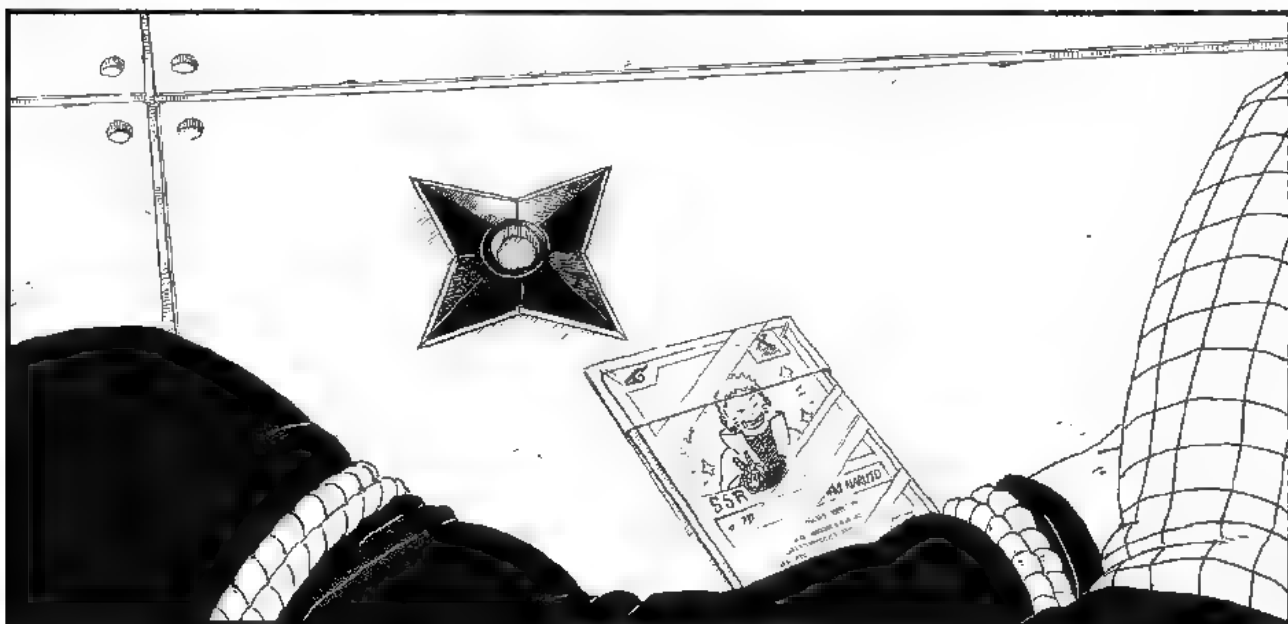
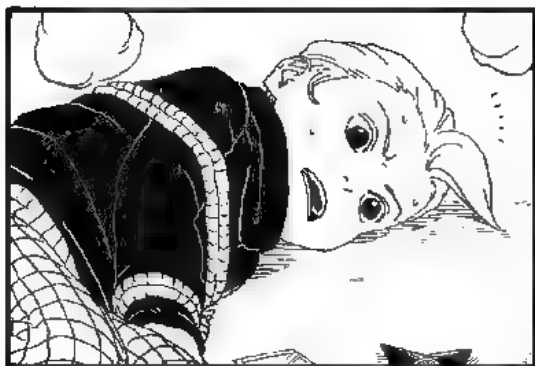
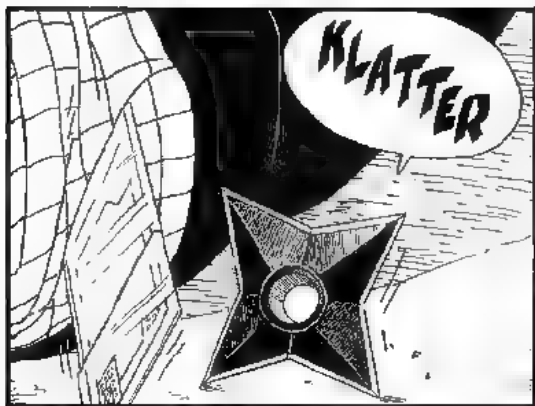


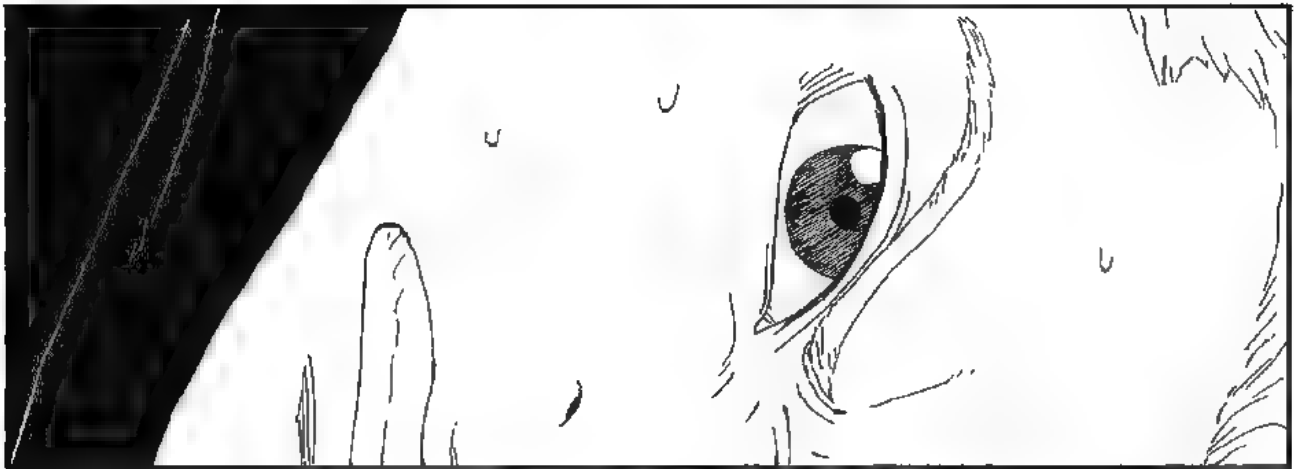
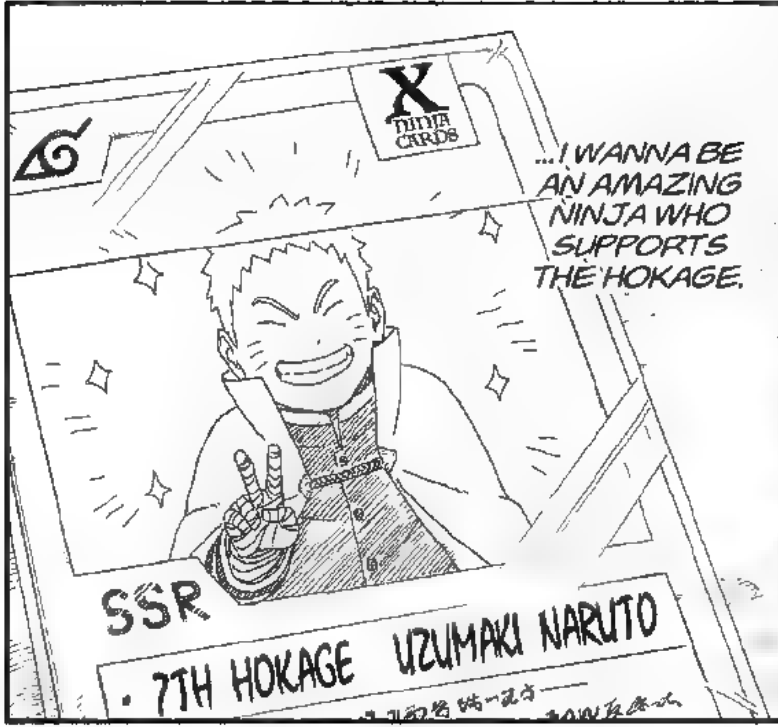
WHAT A  
FREAKIN'  
JOKE,  
FOOL!

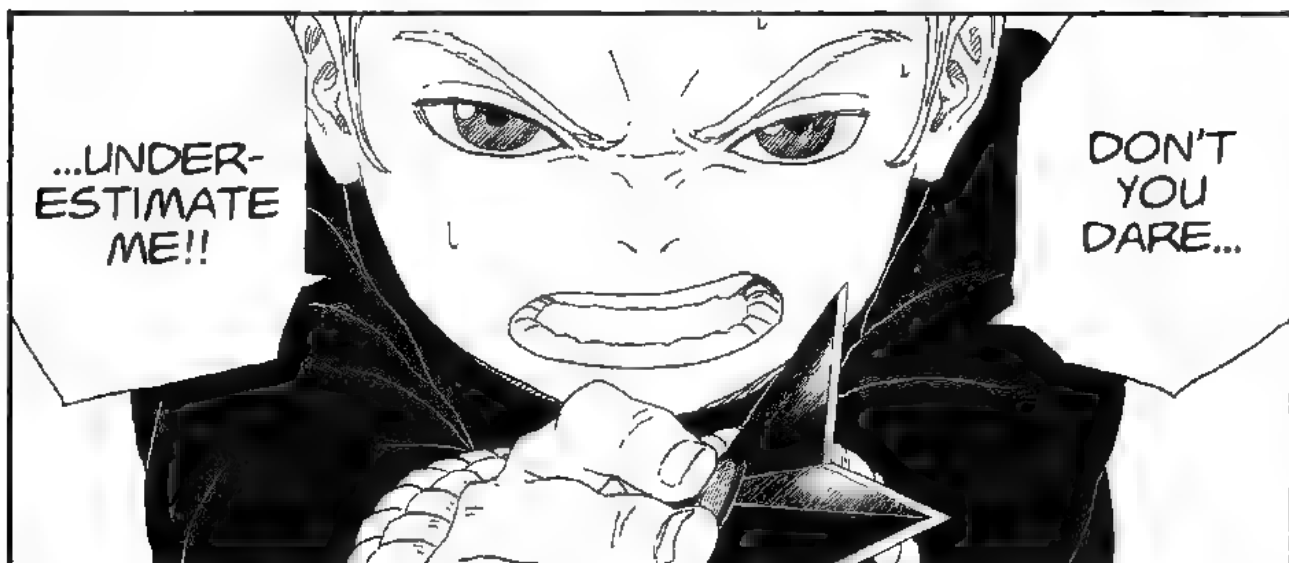
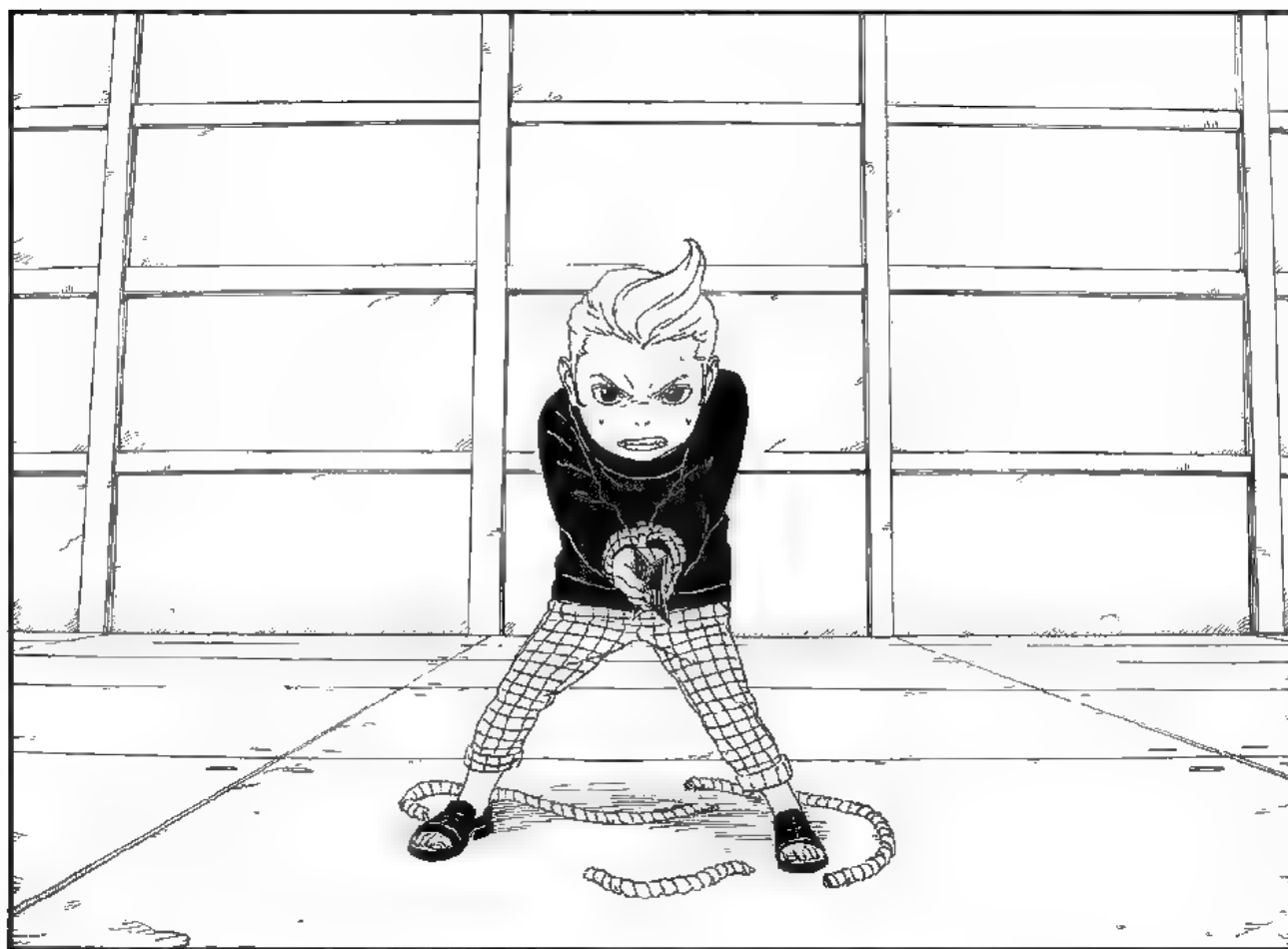
THE BEST  
YOU CAN HOPE  
TO BE IS A  
**BARGAINING**  
**CHIP TO USE**  
**AGAINST THE**  
**DAIMYO...**



**NOTHING  
MORE!**









...NO  
NINJA.

YOU'RE...



...JUST  
DON'T.

I'M KINDA  
CURIOUS  
WHAT YOU  
PLAN TO DO  
WITH SUCH  
A TOY, BUT...

IT'LL BE A  
PAIN IF YOU  
GET HURT  
BEFORE  
THE HAND-  
OFF.



AND THAT'S  
WHY YOU  
DON'T HAVE  
AN X CARD  
EITHER!

NO ONE  
WOULD EVER  
ACKNOWL-  
EDGE...

...SCUM  
LIKE YOU AS  
A NINJA!!

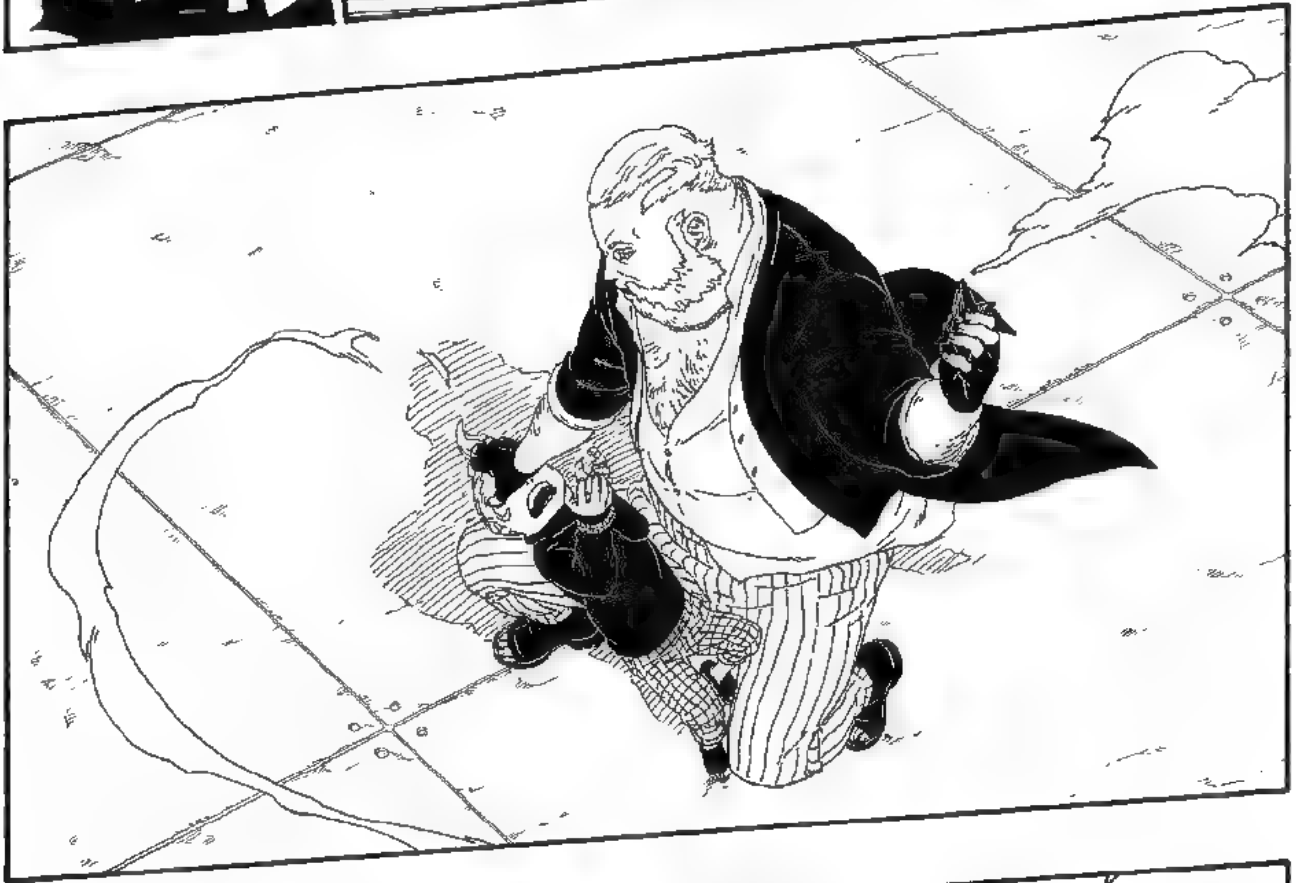


WHAT?

...













# SKIID



TENTO.

YOU'VE  
GOT AN  
ALMOST  
SCARY  
AMOUNT OF  
GUTS, DUDE!



YOU'RE  
LATE...

AHA  
HA!





...BORUTO  
!!!





# SARUTOBI KONOHAMARU

"Hey,  
I told  
you to  
call me  
Master!"



## Attributes

Strength.....	160	Dexterity.....	150
Intelligence.....	100	Chakra.....	140
Perception.....	140	Negotiation.....	120

## Skills

Hand-to-hand combat ☆☆☆☆ Ninjutsu ☆☆☆☆ Evasion ☆☆☆☆ etc.

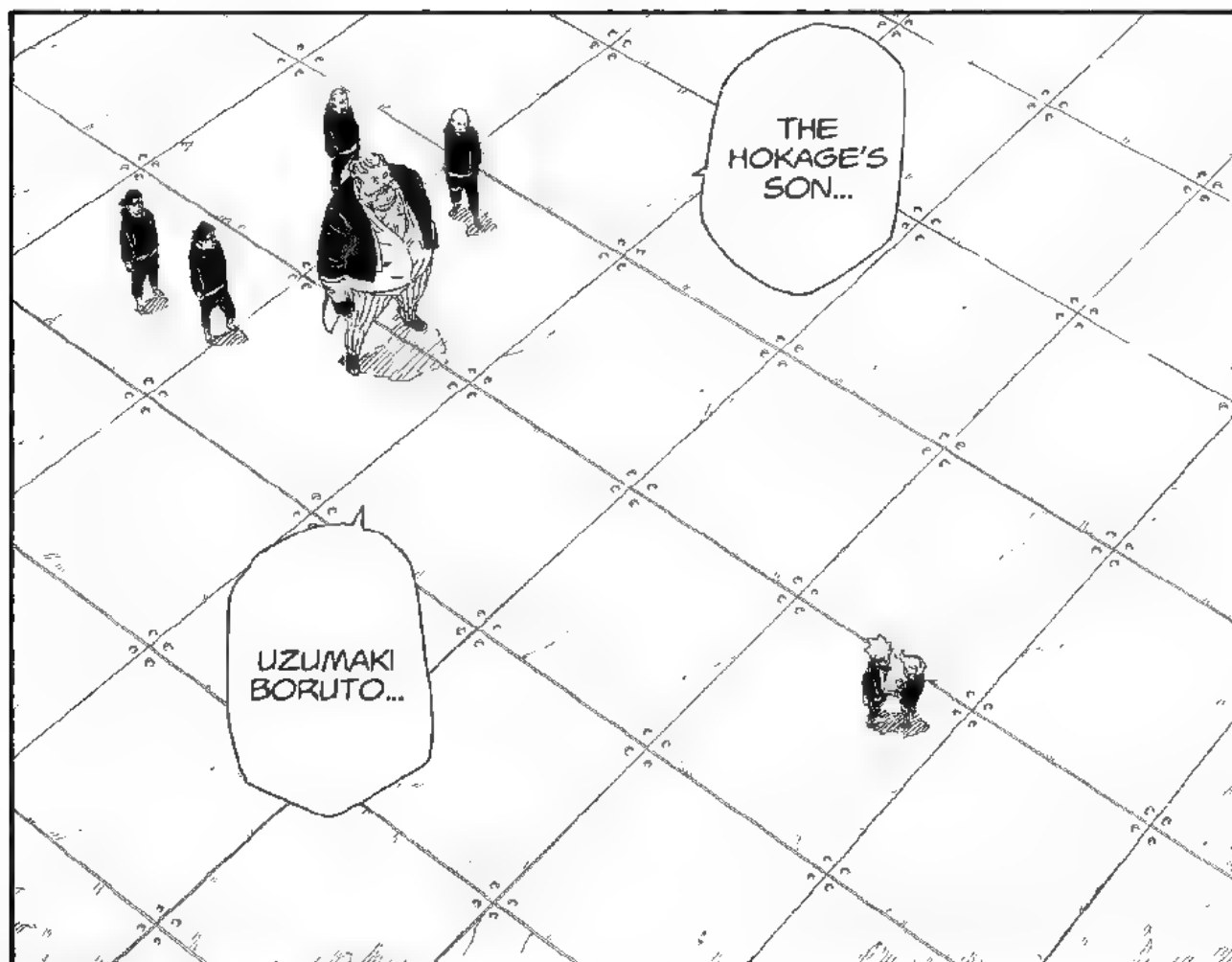
## Ninja Arts

Rasengan, Katon Majestic Flame Jutsu, Katon Dragon Flame Bombs, plus many more

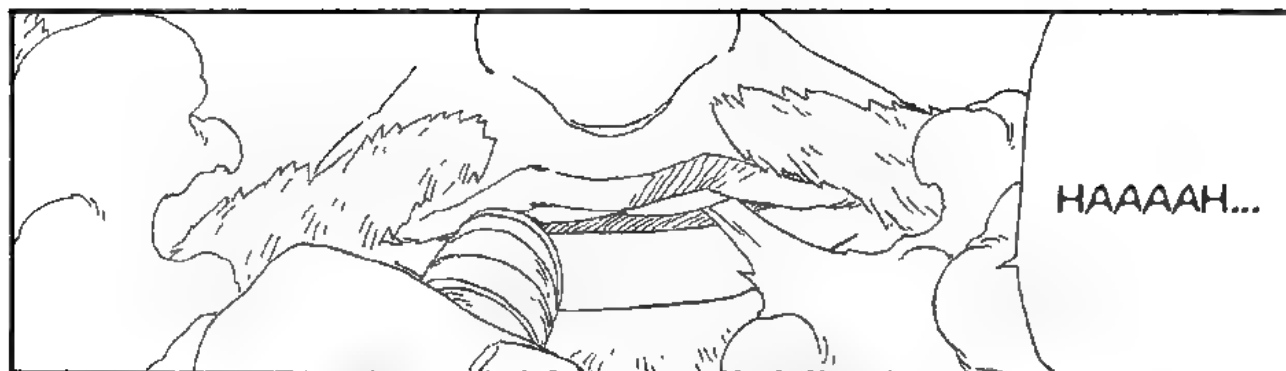
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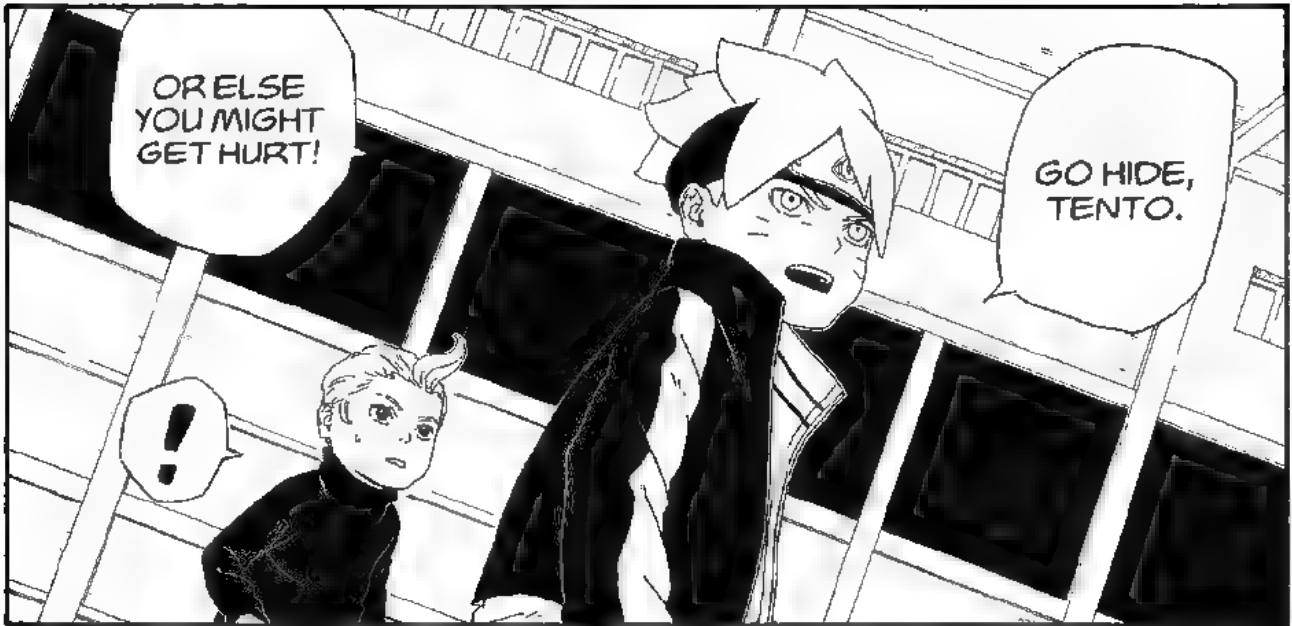


■■■■ Number 14: Teamwork!!













SHADOW  
DOPPEL-  
GANGERS!!

B-

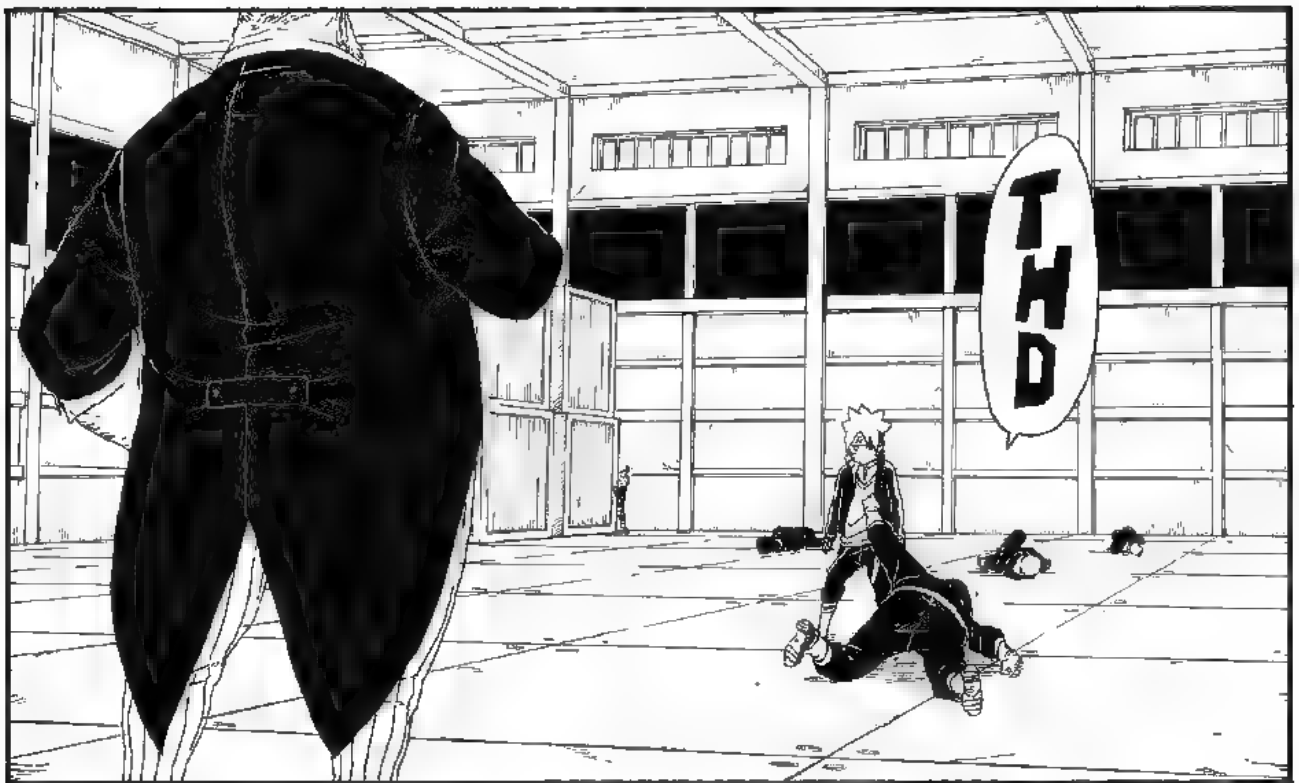
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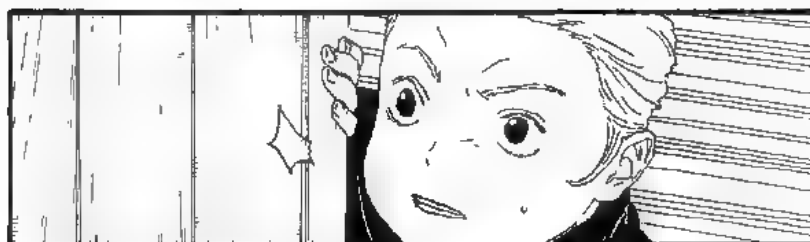












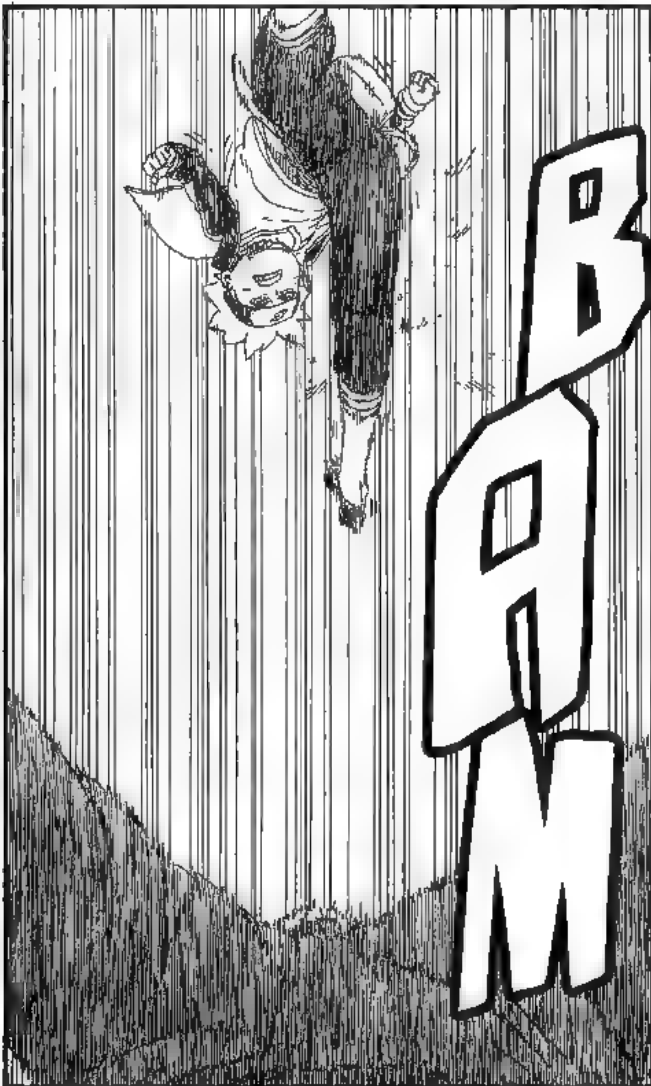




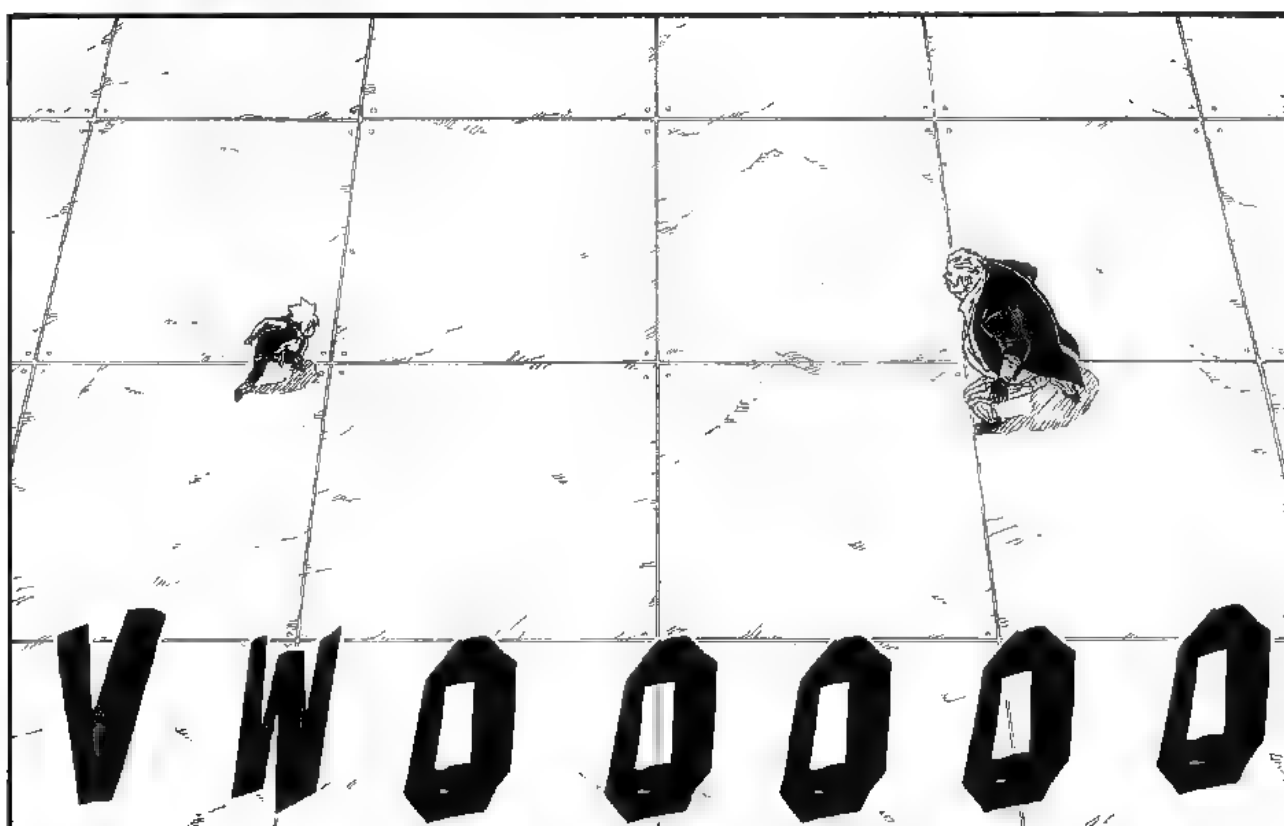
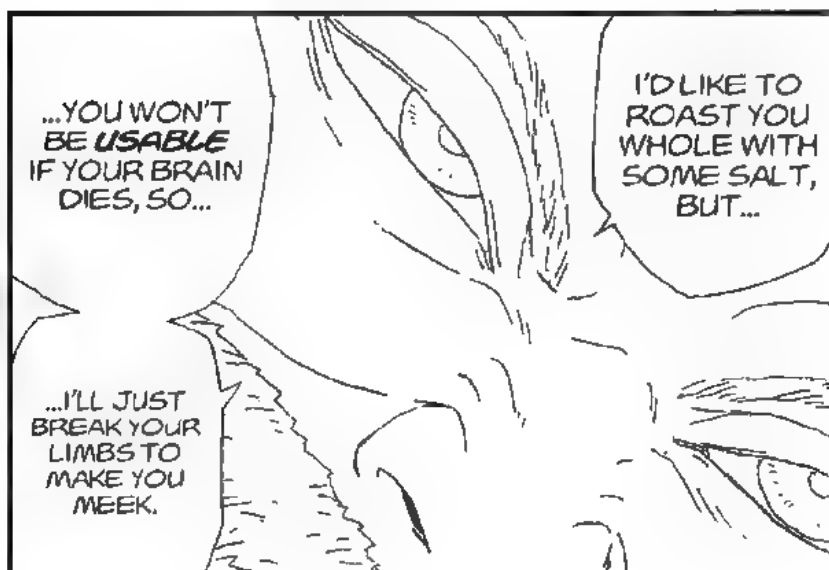






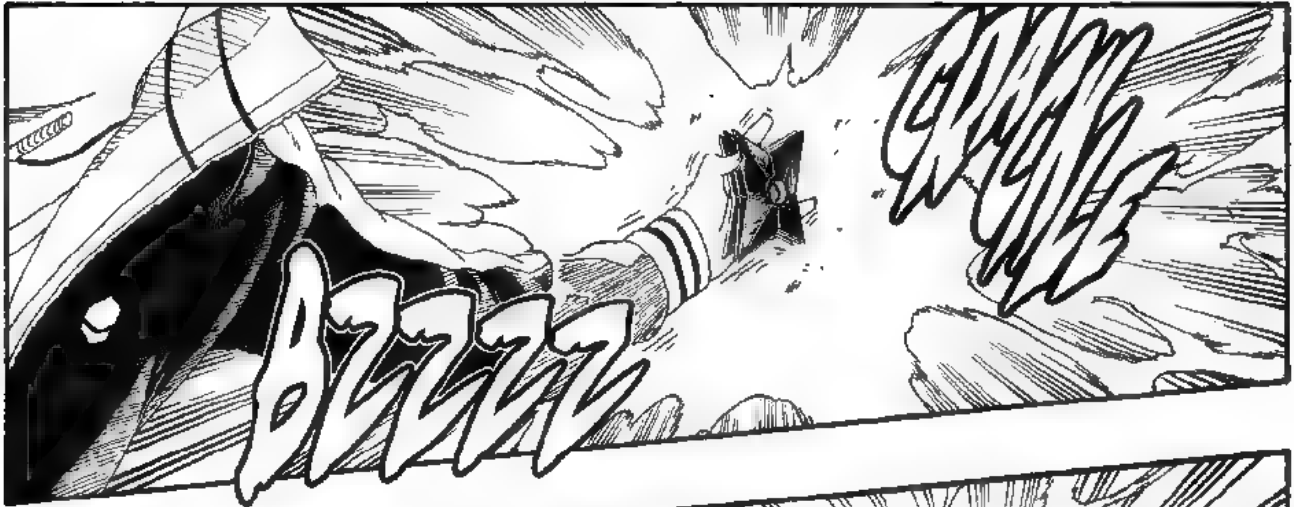


















...HOW ABOUT THIS?!



IN THAT CASE...

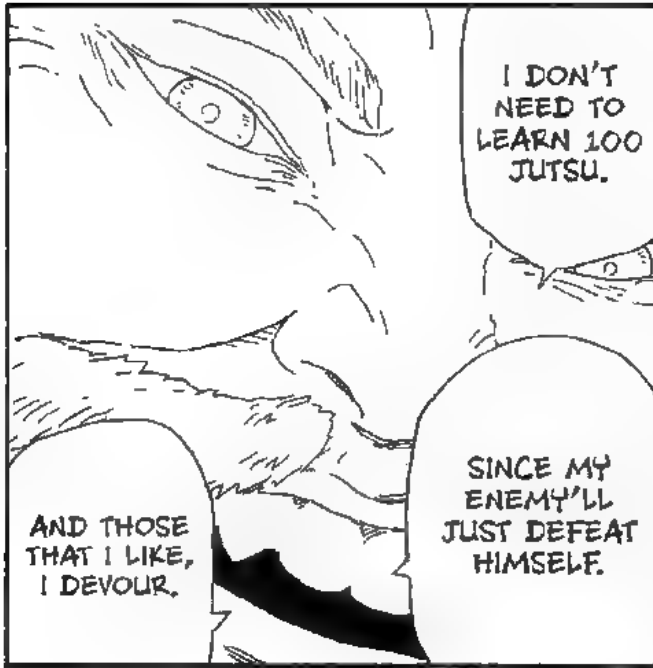


HE REPELLED THEM?!



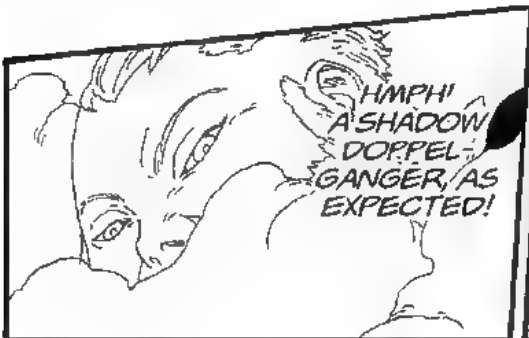
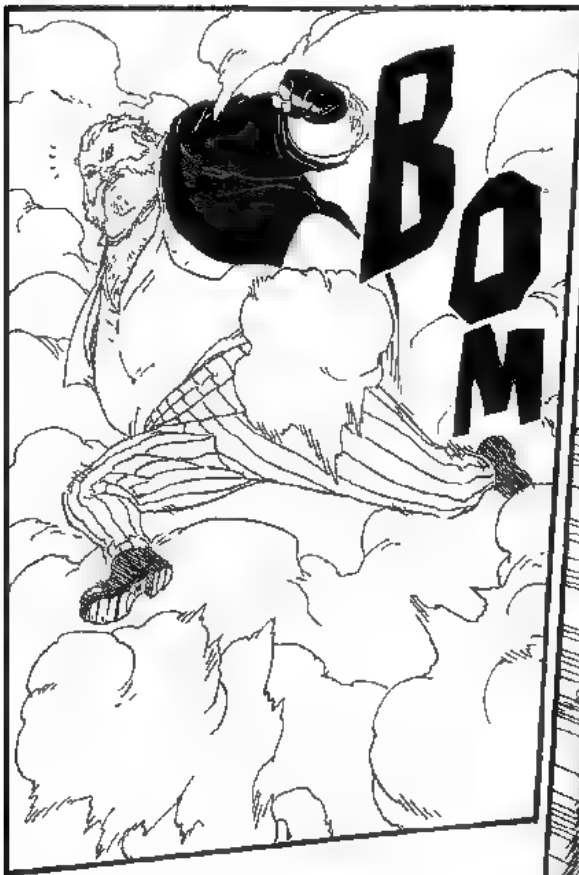


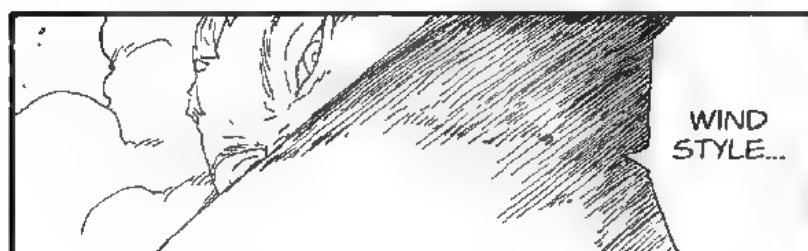
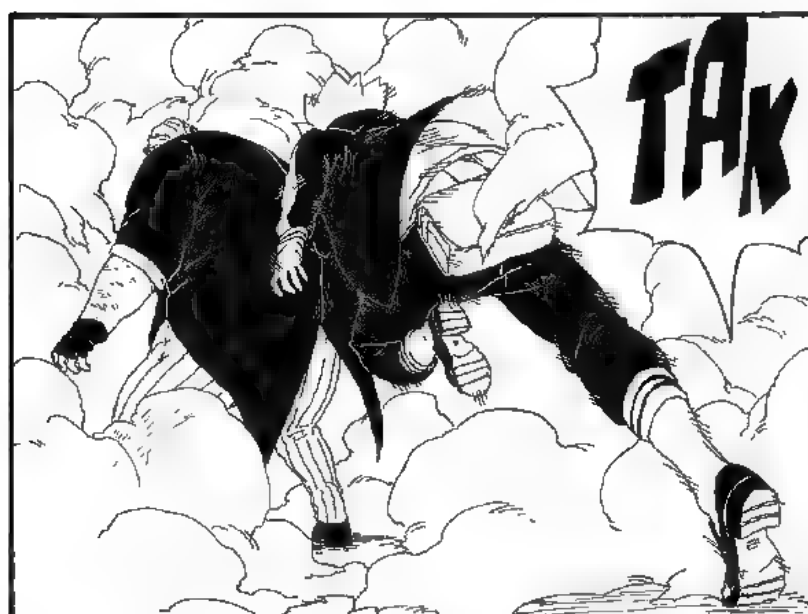
































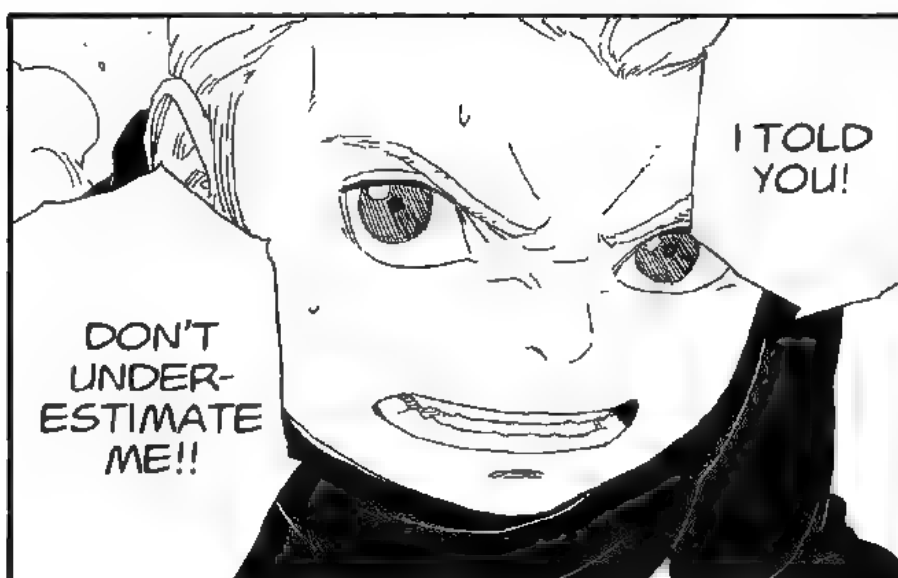


WHAAA-  
AAAA?!

I KNOW  
I GOT RID  
OF ALL FOUR  
SHADOW  
DOPPEL-  
GANGERS!

NO  
WAY!!

THERE  
WAS A  
FIFTH?!





YOU'RE  
FULL OF  
YOURSELF,  
STUPID  
BRAT!!



TENTO...

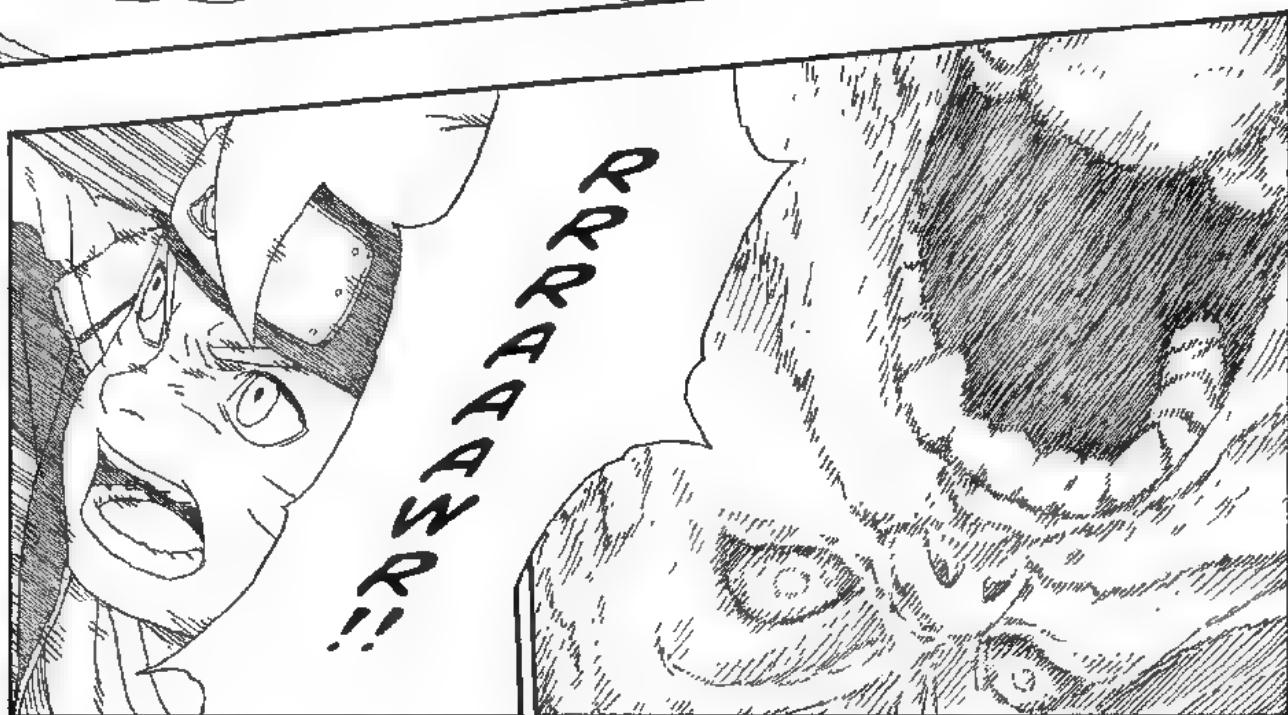
YOU  
REALLY  
ARE...

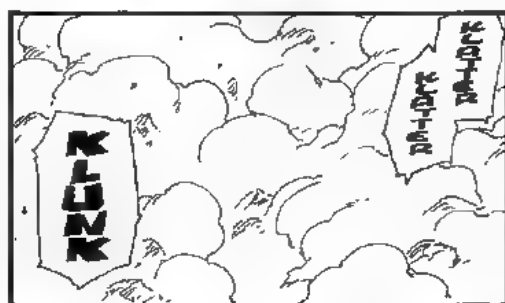
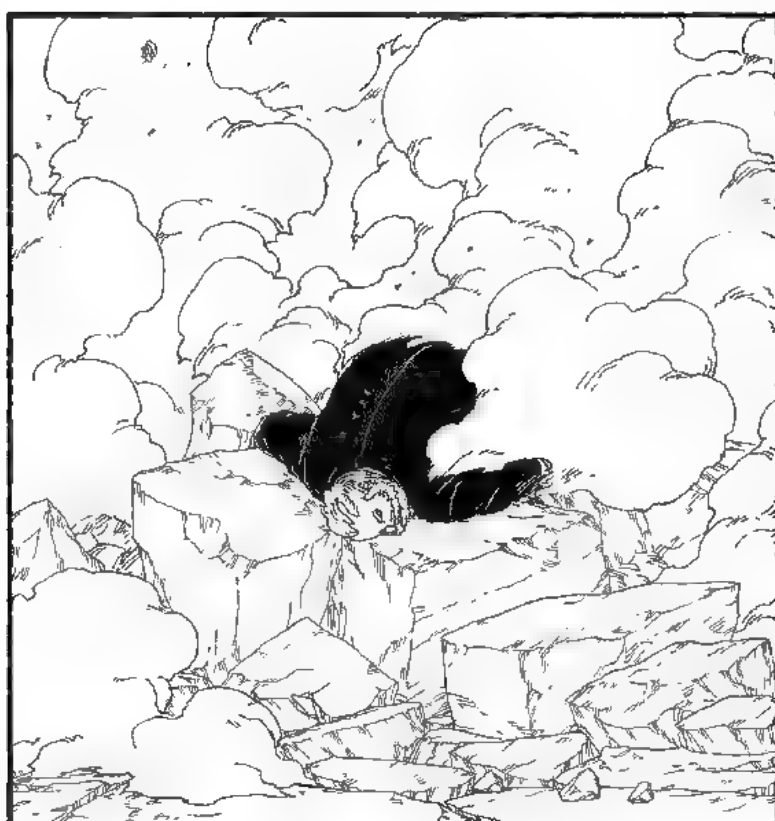
...MORE  
NINJA  
THAN THIS  
PIG!!!





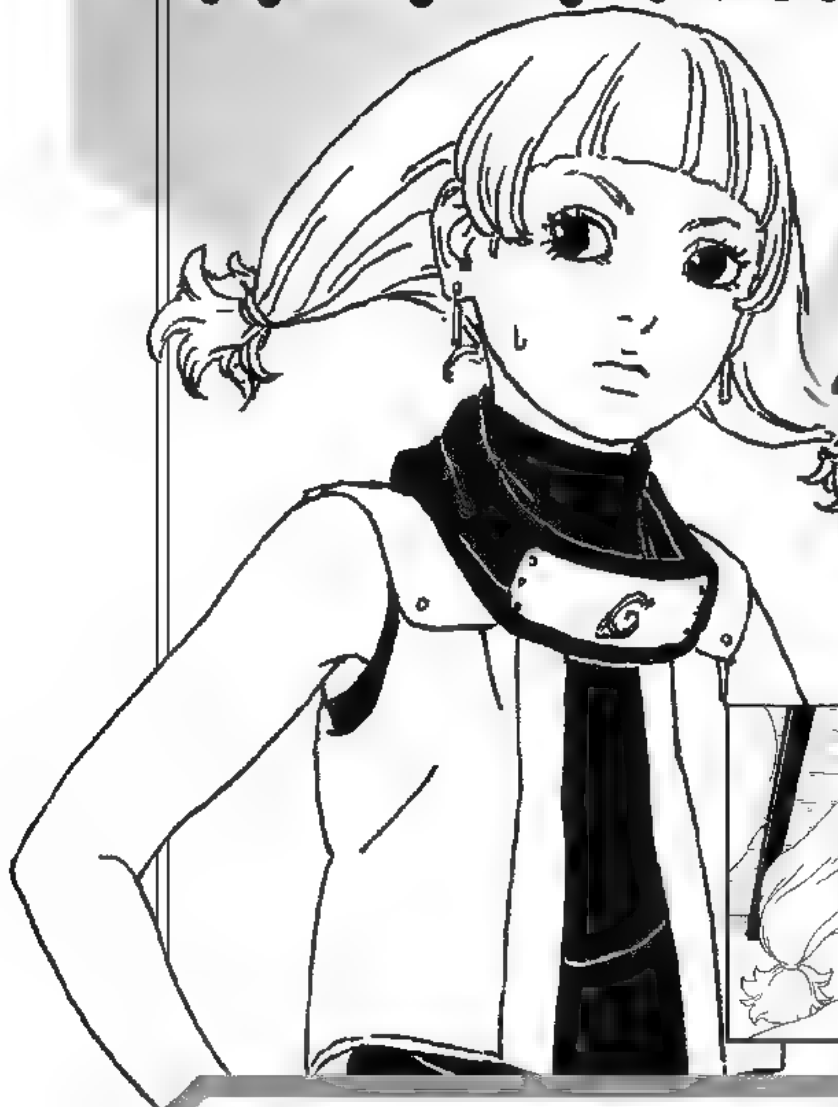




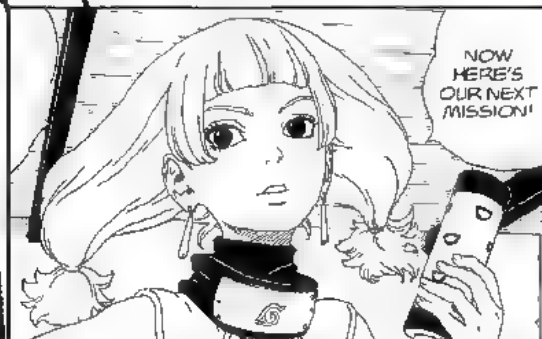




# KAZAMATSURI MOEGI



"Well, think of it as raking in allowance money."



## Attributes

Strength.....	70	Dexterity.....	160
Intelligence.....	130	Chakra.....	126
Perception.....	180	Negotiation.....	140

## Skills

Entrapment ☆☆☆ Sensory Ninjutsu ☆☆☆☆ Marksmanship ☆☆☆ etc

## Ninja Arts

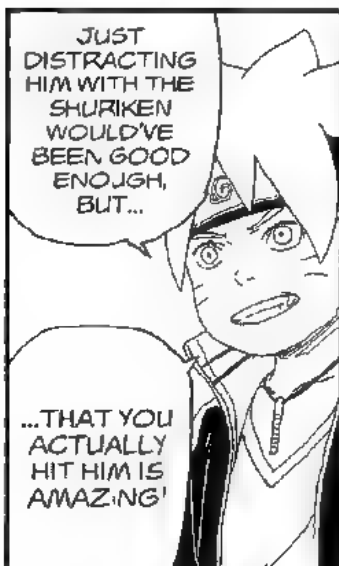
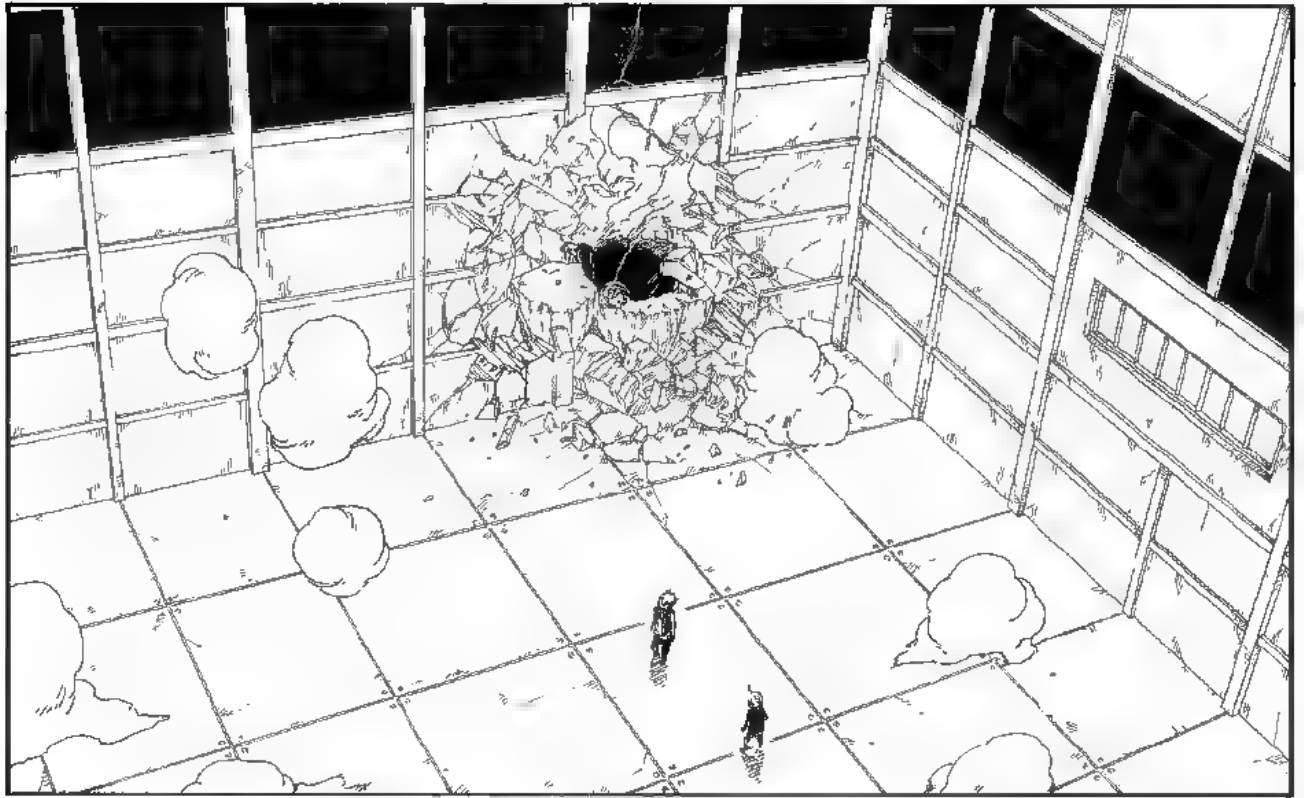
Mokuton Wood Style Green-Hued Jutsu Mokuton Vegetation Barrier, All-Seeing Jutsu etc.

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**Number 15: The Supporting Shadow!!**

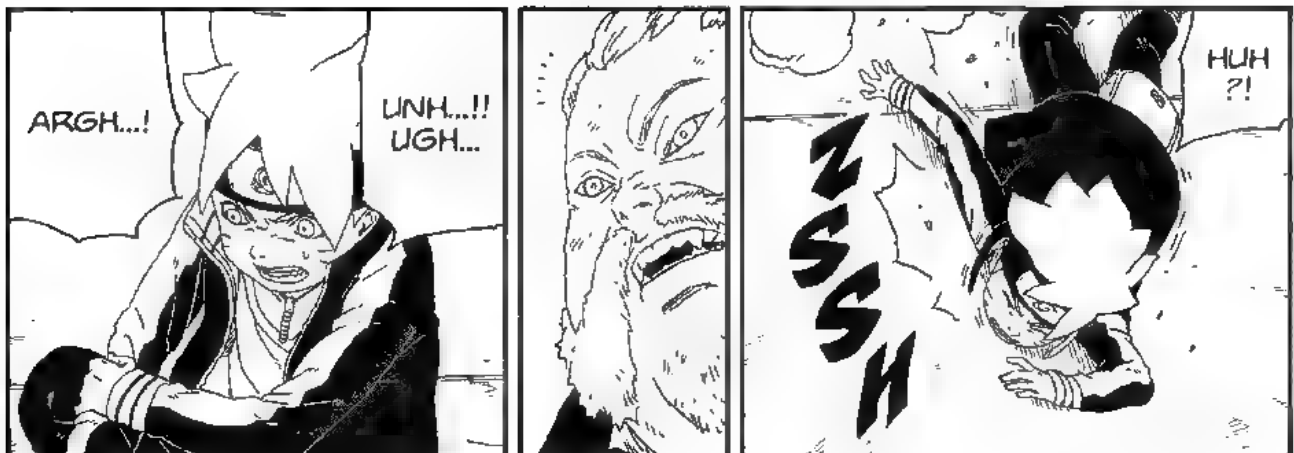
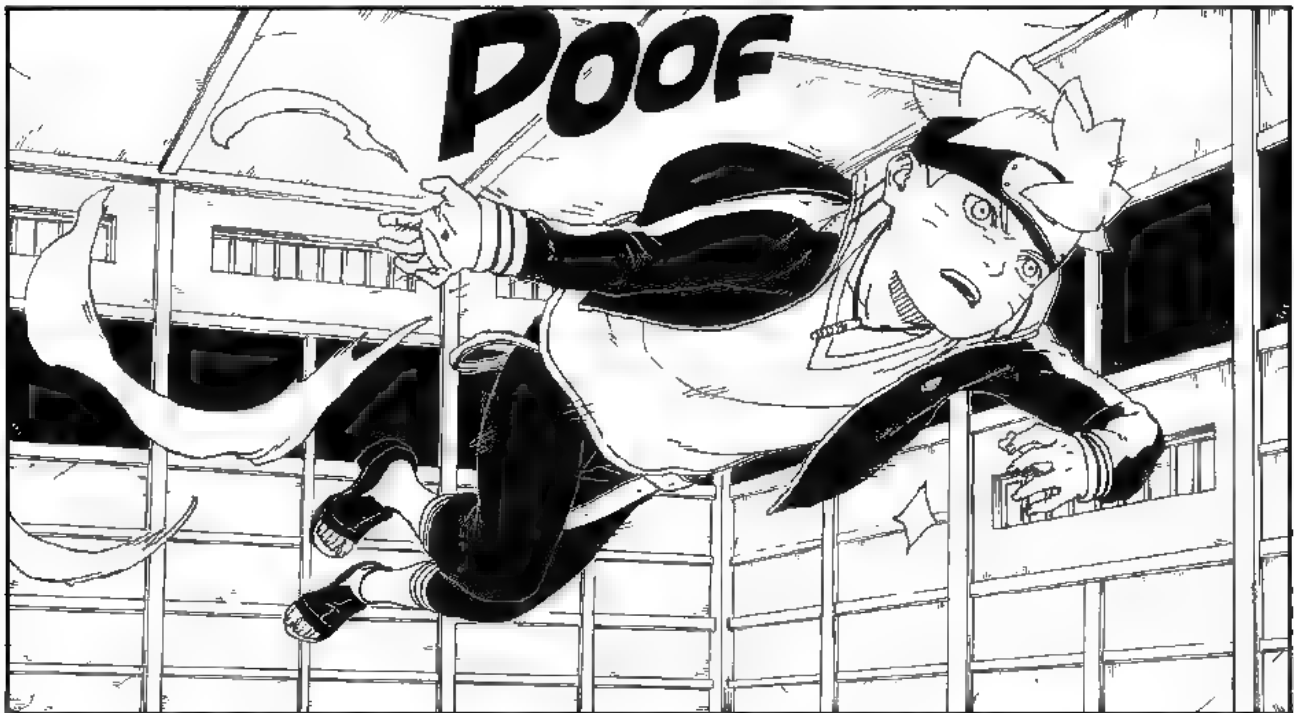








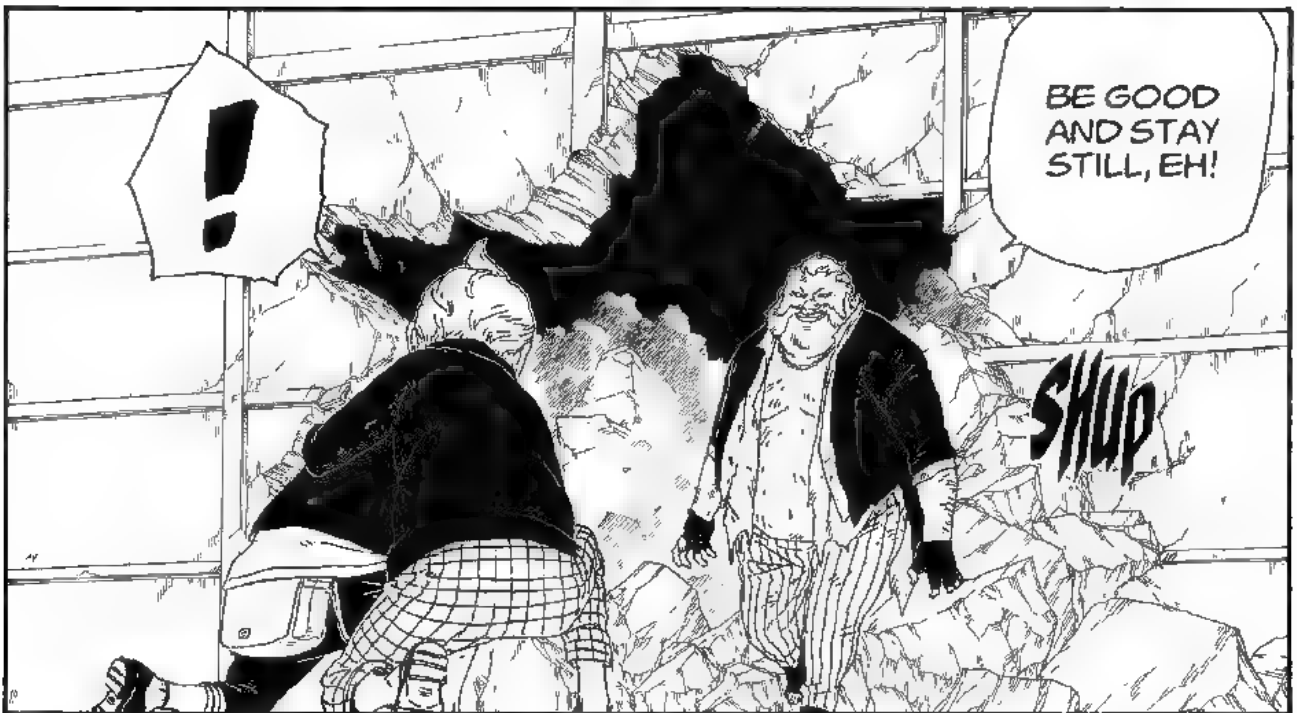
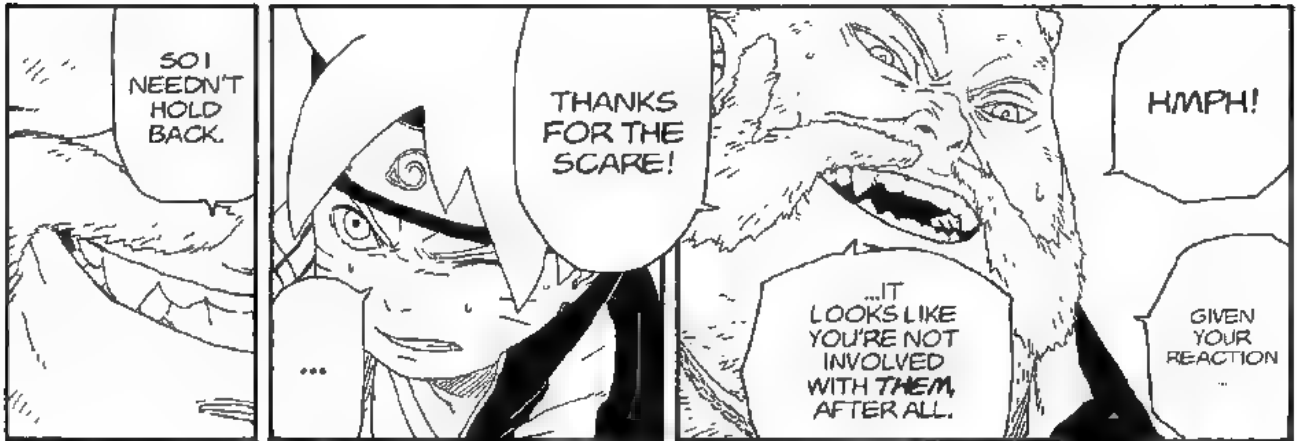
























AND WHAT ABOUT THAT B-RANK MISSION?!

HOW'D YOU KNOW WHERE--

SARADA! MITSUKI!



...I JUST COULDN'T STOP WORRYING ABOUT YOU.

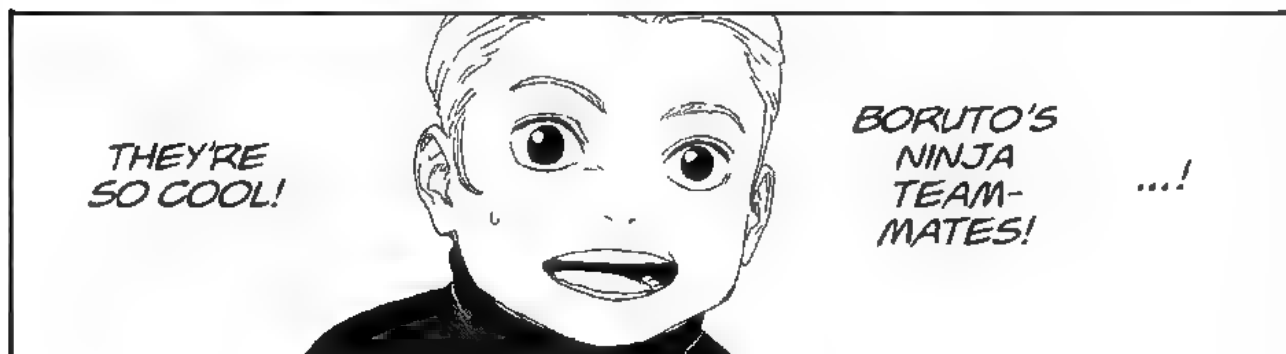
THOUGH I NEVER IMAGINED **THIS** WAS THE SITUATION YOU WERE IN!



...

...WE DID START HEADING OUT TO REN-DEZVOUS WITH MASTER KONOHA-MARU, BUT...

I MET UP WITH MITSUKI, AND...



THEY'RE SO COOL!

BORUTO'S NINJA TEAM-MATES!

...!





